

## TWO MEN DROWNED AT TR. STATION

Tragedy of Unusual Nature  
Causes Death of Two Naval  
Training Station Men

### WERE OUT IN ROW BOAT

A double tragedy was enacted at noon Friday of last week at the naval training station when two enlisted men, one of them a chief gunners mate, were drowned in full view of over a dozen friends and comrades of the station when a heavy sea dashed one of the big row boats against the south pier of the government harbor.

The dead—Robert N. Walters, aged 37, chief gunners mate, home at 1921 Bonsal street, Philadelphia. His present residence where he has been living is at the corner of Belvidere and Liberty street. Bradford M. Bixby, aged 24, of Muskogee, Okla., an apprentice.

The other three men who struggled in the water for a time and who were saved by the assistance of other recruits were: L. Salen, L. F. Rumpff, J. Hoppe.

That Hoppe is alive to tell of his experience is due to the fact that Rumpff after he had been thrown from the boat managed to work his way back inside and later, when he saw Hoppe struggling in the water, he jumped back in and saved him.

Salen was saved as a result of being able to make his way against the surf to the pier and by seizing one of the slippery piles he held himself until one of the crew who had made the pier, ran to where he was clinging and drew him up to safety.

The fact that two men could drown in full view of expert swimmers and with nine able men in a boat close at hand, seems incredible but it was due to their inability to keep space with the swift surf which was being driven toward shore by a heavy wind.

The boys had been out exercising in the boat under oars just at noon. They were returning for dinner, making their way to the south pier of the harbor, the boat being in charge of Walters as chief gunners mate.

The sea dashed the boat up against the pier and in the crash, it almost upset, but did not go clear over. The five men mentioned were thrown into the water and the struggle for life and the efforts of the frantic other nine men followed.

All but Walters were apprentice seamen, but all were reported as being good swimmers, hence the fact that two of the number lost their lives caused quite a sensation at the station.

Bixby's body seemed to go down almost immediately near the pier, while that of Walters was carried off with unusual rapidity and finally when one of the apprentice seamen swam out to shore he saw him giving his last struggle. Walters was fully 150 yards away from the pier where he had been thrown out. The bodies of Bixby and Walters were hurried in shore and two lung-motors were called into use. Experts worked over the young men with all the effort possible but not one sign of life was seen.

### Primary Election

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, A. D. 1916, at the Village hall, on Lake street, in the said Village of Antioch.

A primary election will be held for the nomination of candidates for the following officers to-wit:

One Village Clerk.  
Three Trustees.  
One Village Treasurer.

The political parties entitled to participate in said primary election are as follows:

The Peoples Party, The Anti-Saloon Party.

The polls of said election will be open from 6 o'clock in the forenoon and continue open until five o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at the Village of Antioch, Ill., this 17th day of February, A. D. 1916.  
Harry A. Isaacs,  
Village Clerk.

When Gold is Powerless.  
Gold cannot remove the cares of the mind.—Exchange.

## IS CARRIED 300 FEET ON PILOT OF SOO LINE ENGINE

John Hertel, one of Lake county's wealthiest farmer's, met injuries, which, it is feared, will result in his death on Wednesday morning, when a freight train, traveling 35 miles an hour on the Soo line, through Area struck a horse and rig he was driving.

The farmer was carried on the pilot of the engine for over 300 feet, before the big monster of steel dropped its burden on the roadbed.

When the engine struck the horse and rig it lifted the top off the buggy and as Hertel was the sole occupant he was carried on the pilot of the train until it was brought to a stop by the locomotive.

The accident happened shortly after 9 o'clock. Mr. Hertel had left his home in Fremont Center for Libertyville, where he was to transact business.

The injured man was rushed to the Jane McAlister hospital in the Conrad & Wetzel motor ambulance, and at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon it was announced that his injuries might prove critical. Dr. Taylor, of Libertyville, admits that Hertel is suffering from many scalp wounds, but says that Hertel is not suffering from a fracture of the skull.

"He would have met instant death but for the fact that the top of the buggy was lifted off the springs and carried for 300 feet on the pilot of the engine," said Dr. Taylor.

### Bowling the Return Game

On last Thursday evening at the Dutchies allies Grayslake bowled the team their return game. Grayslake had high spirits of a victory having among them some pretty fast bowlers, but you see Little Joe's team had them all the way through the skirmish. One of the local teams long suits is the bowling on a good alley which cuts a big figure. But putting all excuses aside Little Joe's team can pile up a mighty big score when put in a tight place.

We give you the following figure as to show the difference when totaled at 190 pins.

LITTLE JOES			
Rosenfeldt.	176	165	201-542
Tyden	145	129	131-405
Johnson, G.	175	120	158-453
Johnson, E.	188	177	134-499
Panowski	158	202	186-546
	842	793	810-2445
GRAYSLAKE			
Winkle	149	140	150-439
Richardson, R.	135	120	143-398
Richardson, L.	153	136	183-472
Smith	146	166	143-455
Fred	131	204	156-491
	714	766	775-2255

The Kenosha bowlers will bowl Little Joe's team on Saturday night of this week.

### Uncle Eben.

"I'll bet dar wouldn't be nigh so much war," said Uncle Eben, "et o' each battle ev'body had to stan' up an give a sensible explanation of what he was fightin' about."

### They Beat Powder, Anyway.

"This in favor of freckles," remarked the Man on the Car—"they won't rub off on a fellow's shoulder."

—Toledo Blade.

### To Cut Bread.

When you wish to cut thin slices of bread, neat a steel knife over the fire to do it with.

### "GINGLES JINGLES"

#### HOBBIES.

Have you got a hobby you really enjoy? Have you made it a pal and a friend? Can you stop your vocation and get recreation, the time with this hobby you spend? And is the indulgence you get in this way quite refreshing and helpful as well; can you go to it feeling that while you are spelling, you have for the proper thing felt? Remember your hobby is aces with you, it improves or puts you on the fritz. And would you be cheerful, get this little earful; your hobby lands hard when it hits. And thus 'tis important that you should use thought, and aim to be wise in your choice, get busy and lobby for some useful hobby; it's right that you should have a voice. For all of the time that you spend in this way, you will find it creative indeed; for thus you are hewing a course that's undoing, or building the path you will need. So if you've a hobby you truly enjoy, so delightful it never grows stale, you're fortunate, very; rejoice and be merry, you're not a poor fish—*Lin H. Single* you're a whale.

## MANADAMUS SUIT WILL BE DROPPED

This Part of the Agreement  
in the Settlement of the  
Back Taxes

### FUNDS ARE TO BE DIVIDED

The mandamus suit which was instituted against the Lake county board of supervisors by the town of Vernon in which the court was asked to mandamus the board into increasing the tax in the case of Richard W. Sears three and one third times, will be dismissed as a result of the settlement effected Thursday when attorneys for the Sears estate turned over to Town Collector Ed Ray of Warren the sum of something over \$133,000, the majority of which was omitted taxes on the Sears estate. In fact, it was stated that the assurance that the mandamus suit would be dropped was one of the things which figured prominently in the settlement.

When the board of review looked into the matter of omitted taxes in the Sears estate they fixed the amount of omitted tax for the years 1913 and 1914 at \$91,000. The officials of Warren township held that the board had fixed the valuation on a basis of one-tenth of the real valuation instead of one-third. For that reason they sought to have the amount of tax increased three and one-third times. The \$42,000 which was paid over to Warren township on Thursday, in addition to the \$91,000, was for 1915 taxes.

It is understood that the Sears people did not care about appealing to the highest court to test the validity of the law for if they lost, they would be obliged to pay over three times the amount of tax assessed against them. On the other hand, the Warren township officials were not especially eager to have the law tested because, if the higher courts decided against them, they would lose the tax assessed by the board of review.

Therefore, both sides were willing to compromise. The money was paid over and it was announced that the mandamus suit will be dismissed at the next term of court.

Of the \$133,000 turned over to Town Collector Ray the money will be divided as follows:

Warren township's share, \$919.50.  
Road and bridge tax, \$24,796.50.  
Gravel tax, \$40,650.  
School tax, \$21,223.  
Total, \$87,584.

Of this amount the assessors are to get 2 per cent for their work. The remaining \$45,561.50 will be divided between Lake county and the state.

### Will Dairymen Quit?

It is believed by many of our best thinking dairymen that the time is at hand and has already commenced its operation when men will quit and are quitting the dairy business, because of its unprofitableness.

Mr. Joseph Hoyer of Antioch stated in our office one day last week that he has been in the business five years, and that while he has been among those classed as ordinarily good dairymen, he believes he has not made a cent in the business, and if this coming year does not show an improvement he will quit it for good.

Mr. Hoyer is not alone in making such a statement, as there are hundreds of them and they are among the better class of milk producers.

When men like Mr. Hoyer find their butter fat tests, from a herd of Durham cows dropping in the middle of the winter, when one day feeding is the same as another, from 4-4 to 3-5, the same handling, the same management, the same conditions, this cutting his dividend in one month \$55, they say there is no use keeping at such a game. The long odds are with the other fellow and there is no show for them.

This is not a local complaint, but a general complaint, and men everywhere are believing with Mr. Hoyer that the game is too deep for them.—*Milk News.*

### Blind Men and Women.

It is estimated that throughout the world blind men outnumber blind women in the proportion of two to one.

## ROUND LAKE POSTOFFICE IS LOOTED

Robbers Make a Haul of About  
One Hundred Dollars in  
Money and Stamps

### ENTER DOOR AND WINDOW

Robbers broke into and looted the postoffice at Round Lake early Tuesday morning. Here is what they got:

1—About \$60 to \$80 in stamps and money belonging to Uncle Sam.  
2—About \$20 in change belonging to the G. G. Brainard department store in one corner of which the postoffice is located.

The robbery is believed to have been committed between 2 and 3 o'clock Tuesday morning. Not a single clew of any sort was left by the robbers, whose haul wasn't large but was large enough to cause great excitement in the little village northwest of Grayslake.

The robber or robbers broke in through the rear door. They at first broke the outer door and window and then came to an inside door which also gave way to their jimmy and boards picked up at the rear of the store to pry their way in.

They proceeded to the postoffice, where they looted the stamp and cash drawer. Postmaster Brainard doesn't know exactly what was on hand, but estimates it would run over \$80 at the outside. It develops that six weeks ago the government sent all postmasters notices to the effect they were not to carry any more stamps on hand than was necessary because there have been so many robberies of postoffices of late. Accordingly Postmaster Brainard had cut down his supply and was getting along with just what he could.

The robbers were particular. They didn't want anything but cash or what would be handled as easily as cash, namely, stamps. They took money from the cash drawers, from gum machines, etc., but so far as can be determined, they didn't take much of any value from the store stock.

Postmaster Brainard at once notified the authorities in Chicago, and detectives were sent to the scene to investigate. They found no clews to the robbers but are still working on the case.

So far as is known, no suspicious characters were seen about the town Monday.

### Amateur League to be Organized

A meeting of the Lake county base ball players, will be held in Waukegan on Thursday, March 9, at which time an amateur league will be formed. Zion City, Waukegan, Libertyville, Antioch, Barrington, North Chicago, Lake Bluff, Lake Forest, Highland Park and even Gurnee will be represented in the league.

The meeting of the ball players was called by Waukegan men, and they declare that the league will be formed on the 9, and that no less than ten city or village teams will be represented. The games will be played at each city according to the plans. There are five or six ball teams in Waukegan which are seeking a membership in the league, and which team will be selected is not known at this time.

All games will be played on Saturday and Sunday, a cord'ng to the plans.

### State Bank Stockholders Meeting

At a meeting of the stockholders of the State Bank last Saturday, the following directors were elected: E. B. Williams, Joseph Turner, Chase Webb, Victor Strang and Joseph Labdon.

The following officers were elected: E. B. Williams, President; Jos. Turner, First Vice President; Chase Webb, Second Vice President; W. F. Ziegler, Cashier.

A dividend of 10% was declared, and the capital stock and surplus was raised to \$42,000.

### On Education.

"Education," said Uncle Eben, "enables many a man to express himself in a way dat prevents him from callin' his foolishness."

### Emerald Unlike Other Gems.

Many precious stones may be "so constructed," but not the emerald.

## WEATHER REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

Feb. 1916—Warmest day 44 on the 22nd. Coldest 10 below day on the 7th. Average temperature 18.75. Total rainfall 1.41 in. Snowfall 83 in.

Feb. 1915—Warmest day 50 on the 20. Coldest day 11 below on the 8th. Average temperature 29.72. Total rainfall 2.40 in. Snow none.

Feb. 1914—Warmest day 45 on the 27. Coldest day 10 below on the 10th. Average temperature 15.38. Rainfall 1.27 in. Snowfall 83 in.

Feb. 1913—Warmest day 58 on the 19th. Coldest day 7 on the 5th. Average temperature 20.40. Rainfall 1.28 in. Snowfall 8 in.

Feb. 1912—Warmest day 42 on the 1. Coldest day 24 below on the 3. Average temperature 15.71. Rainfall 1.90 in. Snowfall 23 in.

Feb. 1911—Warmest day 50 on the 16th. Coldest day 2 below on the 10th. Average temperature 28.67. Rainfall 2.88 in. None.

Feb. 1910—Warmest day 50 on the 15th. Coldest day 10 below on the 23. Average temperature 19.34. Total rainfall .65 in. Snow 4 ins.

Feb. 1909—Warmest day 52 on the 18th. Coldest day zero on the 1st. Average temperature 29.10. Total rainfall 1.60 in. Snowfall 6 in.

Feb. 1908—Warmest day 49 on the 12th. Coldest day 10 below on the 4th. Average temperature 22.06. Rainfall 2.20 in. Snowfall 19 in.

Feb. 1907—Warmest day 52 on the 18th. Coldest day 14 below on the 6th. Average temperature 22.61. Total rainfall .30 in. Snowfall 1 in.

Feb. 1906—Warmest day 50 on the 12th. Coldest day 9 above on the 7th. Average temperature 22.88. Total rainfall 2.30 in. Snowfall 3 in.

Feb. 1905—Warmest day 44 on the 23. Coldest day 12 on the 13th. Average temperature 13.64. Total rainfall 1.85. Snowfall 21 in.

Feb. 1904—Warmest day 44 on the 6th. Coldest day 15 on the 1. Average temperature 12.37. Rainfall 1.50 in. Snowfall 10 in.

Feb. 1903—Warmest day 47 on the 27. Coldest day 14 below on 17th. Average temperature 16.46. Rainfall 1 in. Snowfall 3 1/2 in.

Feb. 1902—Warmest day 48 on the 26. Coldest day 9 below on the 5th. Average temperature 26.85. Total rainfall 1.40 in. Snowfall 1 1/2 in.

### Rowling-Peterson Wedding

The following from an Eugene, Oregon paper will be of interest to our Lake Villa people:

Slipping out of Eugene in an auto before day light yesterday morning for Junction City, where they took a train for Portland, Loy Rowling and Miss Mabel Peterson were married in that city at 2 o'clock that afternoon.

None but the parents and immediate relatives of the couple knew of their leaving Eugene to be married, and the many friends of the pair who have been expecting the nuptials for some time were due for a surprise.

It is intimated by a close relative that recent developments following weddings of popular young people was the cause of the early morning departure. Mr. and Mrs. Rowling expect to remain in Portland for a week.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rowling and is a partner in the grocery firm of Rowling and Son at the corner of Peterson and Thirteenth ave.

The bride is a Eugene girl and has lived here for the past four years with her sister Mrs. Peterson, at 1416 Wilhamette street. She has been employed in a local millinery establishment.

### "GINGLES JINGLES"

#### THE KICKER.

Do not be a chronic kicker. Chuck the grouch and come across, put your shoulder to the wheel and help us go. We can use you to advantage so come through and shake the moss, pull the weeds and let the roses have a show. So if you are only stalling and don't care to move ahead, you had better stop aside get in to clear, your motive power is dead or it must be your transmission stripped the gear. For if you have no ambition you are but a pile of junk, blocking up the course of others with an aim, spreading gloom instead of sunshine spinning out a line of bunk, that will never list you in the Hall of Fame. Get together, think it over, there must be a reason why. Your Creator has placed you upon the earth; you have talents that are useful, forces that you should apply, so get busy, show the world what you are worth. Do not tell how you would do it if you were your fellow man. How you could improve on all that has been done. Get in action, crank the engine, go in for a coat of tan. Others farther down than you have fought and won. *Lin H. Single*

## NEWS ITEMS FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Busy People's Column of  
Interesting News In  
Condensed Form

### CLIPPINGS OF INFORMATION

Blocking of street crossings by train crews has become such a common nuisance at Crystal Lake that the authorities of that city have notified Northwestern officials that a continuance of such practice will be followed with arrests of guilty train crews. J. Burns, trainmaster of Chicago, has assured the people of Crystal Lake that all trainmen have been warned against said practice to prevent recurrences.

The stock yards at Hebron which for many years have occupied a site on the village's main business street, is to be removed. Officials of the Northwestern Railway company paid Hebron a visit last week and ordered the improvement made. A tract of land, 50 feet wide has been purchased along the railway right of way and they will be moved thereon. Operations will begin within the next thirty days.

The business men of Lake Geneva have subscribed \$400 to pay for a four-page insertion in the Automobile Route book, in which the beauties of Lake Geneva will be advertised.

The board of health of Harvard has issued a warning to the effect that persons found guilty of concealing or not reporting contagious diseases will be promptly arrested and given a severe fine.

The little village of Wauconda, with a population of only 400, is fast coming to the front. She is about to install an \$18,000 water system and a \$20,000 township high school building.

Electric lights were turned on for the first time at Richmond last Monday. The line is an extension from Genoa Junction.

George McClellan has purchased the Columbia hotel at Richmond and has taken possession of the same.

Barber shops of Waukegan were closed on Sunday in obedience to the new city ordinance.

Fred Brown Whitney of Waukegan, managing director of the Lake Torpedo Boat company, is named as counsel for the International Submarine Shipbuilding company, a new \$5,000,000 concern that has just been incorporated.

Attorney Barnes, appearing for the Voliva interests of Zion City applied for a writ of injunction before Judge Edwards by which he asked to have the city of Zion and County Treasurer McDonough enjoined from collecting a certain illegal tax which is alleged to have been imposed this year at Zion.

### People's Town Caucus

A caucus of the legal voters of the town of Antioch will be held on Saturday, March 18, 1916, at the village hall in the village of Antioch, between the hours of 1 p. m. and 4 p. m., for the purpose of nominating one candidate for each of the following offices:

One Assessor, one Collector, one Town Clerk and one Commissioner of Highways.

All voting in said caucus shall be by ballot containing the names of all candidates and the manner of conducting the Caucus and all voting therein, shall be as near as may be in accordance with the Australian system of voting. The undersigned Chairman and Secretary shall act as chairman and secretary of said caucus and shall certify the names of the successful candidates as required by law. No ballot shall be counted unless it shall be endorsed thereon, the initials of one of the judges hereinafter named. Each person desiring to become a candidate in said caucus shall give his name to one of the undersigned Town Committee on or before Friday, March 17, 1916, and then pay his share of the expense of said caucus.

Elmer Brook  
Frank Harden  
Geo. Webb  
Town Committee

Dated at Antioch, Ill., this 17th day of February, 1916.



# The Heart of Night Wind

By Vingie E. Roe  
Illustrations by Ray Walters

## A STORY OF THE GREAT NORTHWEST

## CHAPTER I.

## Out of the Vine Maples.

Siletz sat, her knees drawn up to her chin, on the flat top of a fir stump. Beside her lay Coosnah, heavy muzzle on huge paws, his eyes as pale as the girl's were dark. They were hill-bred both. Perhaps that accounted for the delight both found in the solitude of this aerial, where they could look down toward the west on the feathery, green sea of close-packed pine and fir, of spruce and hemlock—and toward the east on the narrow strip of tide-water slough and the unpainted shacks of the lumber camp huddled above its railway. It was the magnificent timber country of the great Northwest.

Siletz was wondering, as she always did, how far the mountains ran to the south, how far it was to that "Frisco" of which she had heard so much from the tramp loggers who came and went with the seasons, their "turkeys" on their backs and the joyous liberty of the irresponsible forever tugging at their eccentric souls.

Over the facing ridge she knew that the cold Pacific roared and coaxed on the ships, to play with them in the hell of Vancouver coast. She could hear it sometimes when the pines were still; yet she had never seen it.

She had pictures of it in her mind, many pictures. She knew well how it would look when she should see it—a gray floor, a world of it, shot through with the reds and purples of a tardy sun. Of the cities she had no clear pictures. They were artificial, man-made, therefore alien to her, who knew only nature, though she had listened intently to roammers from every corner of the globe; for Dally's lumber camp had seen a queer lot.

It all resolved itself into these dreams when she sat on the edge of a fir stump, or, better yet, in the exalted cloud-high airiness of the very apex of the Hog Back.

There had been no sun, neither today nor for many days; and yet there was as surely presence of approaching night as if shadows forewarned. Siletz had hoped for a break, one of those short pageants when the sun should shoot for a moment into the gloom, transfiguring the world. Now, as she scanned the west, the dog suddenly rose from beside her, peering down with his huge head thrust forward, his pendulous ears swaying. A hundred feet below in a tangle of vine maple something was laboring. Presently the slim trees parted and out of their tangle struggled a horse, a magnificent black beast with flaring nostrils and full, excited eyes. After every few steps it turned its head to right or left with the instinct of the mountain breed to zigzag, and as often the man in the saddle pulled it sharply back.

With the first sight of the intruder the girl on the high stump had sprung up, leaning forward, a growing excitement in her face. "It was the horse that caused it. Something was stirring within her all suddenly and her heart beat hard. She gripped her braids tight in both hands and swallowed.

"Blunderer," she said aloud. "Oh, the blunderer!"

Then she cupped her hands at her lips and called down: "Let him alone! He knows how to climb! Let him alone!"

The man looked up startled, and tightened his grip on the rein. The gallant animal went down upon its side, rolling completely over, to lodge, feet downward, against a stone. The man swung sidewise out of the saddle, saving himself with a splendid quickness. Before he could gather himself for action the girl tore down upon him.

"What have you done?" she cried wildly, "what have you done to it?" She dropped on her knees and her hands went fluttering over the black head in a very passion of pity, touching the white star on the forehead, smoothing the quivering nostrils.

"Why didn't you let him climb his own way? He knew—he's a bunch-grasser. Nothing could go straight up!"

She raised her eyes to him and he saw they were burning behind a film of tears. He saw also what gave him a strange feeling of shock—a faint, blue tracery extending from the left corner of her lips downward nearly to the point of the chin, a sharply broken fragment of a tattooed design. Her eyes were very dark and her hair, parted after the first fashion of woman, was straight and very dark also.

The accusing words irritated him. "You're right," he said coldly, "nothing could—in such a country. Stand back, please."

Siletz looked up at him and instinctively rose to her feet, though the slim body was alert with an unconscious readiness for prevention of something.

But the man only stepped to the black's head, tightened the rein a bit and clucked encouragingly.

"Come up," he said sharply, "up, boy!"

The horse stretched its head forward arched its neck, gathered its

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feet and lurched mightily upward finding difficulty and floundering a little by reason of the stone which had saved it from rolling down the mountain. It placed its feet gingerly, bracing against the declivity, shook itself vigorously, drew a good, long breath and turned its soft nose to investigate the girl. With a little gurgling cry her hands went out again to caress it, hungrily, forgetful of the man, her face alight with the joy of its escape from injury. She smiled and passed her hands along the high neck, over the shoulder, down to the knee, bending to finger with a deft swiftness the fetlock and pastern.

When she looked up again she smiled at the man frankly, her anger gone.

"He's all right, but you want to give him the rein. He knows how to go up all right. All Oregon horses can climb if you give them their time and way."

He slipped the bridle over his arm. "I'm looking for Dally's lumber camp. Can you tell me how to get there and how near I am?"

"It's right over the ridge. You'll see it from the top!"

"Thanks," he said, lifted his soft, gray hat perfunctorily and turned up the slope.

He took the ascent straight, with a certain grimness of purpose. Soon he felt a slight pull on the reins toward the left, which slackened immediately to repeat itself to the right. The black was trying to zigzag in the narrow play of the confining bridle. After an interval that tried him severely in muscle and breath the stranger reached the sharp crest of the ridge.

Below him lay the valley, the winding slough, the yellow huddle of the camp, the toy railway, with its tiny engine, the donkey whose puffing rose in a white spiral, the rollways and the huge log trail winding up the other slope like a giant serpent. Even as he looked there came the staccato of the whistle-bob whose invisible line crept away into the hills above the cables, the engine got down to work with a volley of coughs, the spools lifted heavily along the trail.

Presently a long, gray shape, ghostly and sinister, came creeping over the lower ridge, gliding down the face of the hills, silent, relentless, a veritable thing of life. He leaned forward, watching it come to rest above the railway, halt a little while the antlike men dived here and there, and then roll sidewise into position against the stays.

When the small play of the woods was over, just as he started down he glanced involuntarily back along the way he had come.

The girl still stood by the boulder looking up, her face illumined by that



"Blunderer!" She Said Aloud.

light he had noticed, and he was quick enough to comprehend that it was passionate longing for the big black behind him. She had forgotten his presence. Out of the ferns had crept the mammoth mongrel. They two stood together in a subtle comradeship which struck him by its isolated sufficiency.

## CHAPTER II.

## An Amazing Arrival.

It was quitting time—quitting time in the coast country, which means whatever time the light fades. Presently the loggers came creeping down the trail, sturdy men in spiked boots, laced to the knee, blue dannel shirts, and, for the most part, corduroys. They trooped down to the cook-shack, a long building of unpainted pine, its two side doors leading, the one into the dining room, the other sheltered by a rude porch, into the kitchen.

Inside, "Ma" Dally, a white-haired general of meals and men in their order, creaked heavily from oven to pine sink, her placid face flaming with the heat of the great steel range.

The eating room was long and nar-

row, its pine floor innocent of covering. From end to end ran two long tables, neat in white oilcloth, with intervals of catchup bottles, pepper sauce, sugar bowls, cream pitchers and solidly built receptacles for salt and pepper. Along both edges stood an army of white earthenware plates, flanked by bone-handled knives and forks and tin spoons.

At the west, beside an open door, was a high pine desk littered with papers, a telephone hung at one side. A small table stood before a window, with a rocking chair in proximity—one of those low, old-fashioned rocking chairs that old women use, and that invariably hold a patchwork cushion with green fringe, and a white knitted tidy. That rocker was part of Dally's camp. It had followed the march of progress as the camp cut its way into the hills.

"It's my one comfort," Ma was wont to say, "though land knows I don't get to set in it more'n a quarter what I'd like."

As the loggers slid noisily on to the benches, their caulked giving up the mud they had held purposely for the swept floor, Siletz came and went, setting the substantial vials in the open spaces left in the expanse of white oilcloth. She exchanged a word here and there, always a sensible word, something of the work, the day, or the men themselves. She was putting a plate of cookies, sugar-sanded, with currants on top, between Jim Anworthy and a black-haired Pole.

When a foot struck the step at the west door. There was something in the sound that drew every head around at once. A stranger stood against the misty darkness between the jambs.

He was young, apparently about twenty-five or six, well set up, with straight shoulders above narrow hips and a poise that claimed instant attention. He removed his soft hat, holding it in his hand, while his bright, blue eyes looked imperiously over the room. Over his shoulder a pair of big, dark ones peered anxiously, while a black muzzle with a small, white patch nosed his elbow aside.

"John Dally?"

It was a call that demanded, not a question.

From the head of the nearest table a giant of a man, easy natured, lax featured, loose joints banded together by skin sinews, rose lumberingly.

"I'm him," he said.

The man in the door brought his eyes sharply to focus on his face, reading it with lightning rapidity.

"I'm the Dillingworth Lumber company—or most of it," he said clearly, "and I've come to stay. Where shall I put my horse?"

There was a startled silence after these amazing words. An unexpressed ejaculation went from face to face up and down the tables. Then John Dally showed why he was the best foreman in that region. He got himself loose from the end bench and walked over to the door.

"All right, Mr.—?"

He waited easily, as if it was perfectly natural for strangers to drop from a hilltop and announce themselves the ruling power of the country, or more strictly speaking one of the ruling powers, for there were two.

"Sandy," finished the other, "Walter Sandry—from New York."

"Come in, Mr. Sandry—you're just in time."

Dally turned back to the lighted room.

"Siletz, give Mr. Sandry my place. Harrison, I'll have to take your fling shed for tonight. Tomorrow we'll fix things in better shape."

The saw-filer, an important personage and one to be conciliated, frowned in his plate, but the foreman had lost sight of him. He reached out a huge, hard hand and took the bridle-rein from the newcomer.

Already this man was standing inside the rude building, with a high-headed air of force, of personality that made itself felt in the most stolid nature present. He glanced down the double line of faces and for a second, just a fractional, fleeting moment, seemed to hesitate. Then he laid his hat on the small table, walked round to Dally's empty seat, swung a leather puttee and a well-built shoe over the bench and sat down. He was in place, and a vague feeling of adjustment, of solidity, accompanied him, as if he was there, as he said, to stay. Every man in the room felt it; and one of those strange sensations of portent communicated itself to them, as when the everyday affairs of life come to a turn in the road.

Dally's was on the eve of a change. The girl was putting a thick, white plate, hot from boiling water, before him, deftly laying the simple cutlery, pushing back an intruding dish.

There was an air of detachment about her. No portion of her garments touched him. She was always so, aloof in a quiet way. Now, as she tended the stranger silently, one of her long braids slipped over her shoulder and fell across his hand. He drew away from the contact sharply and a dozen pairs of eyes saw the action.

"Hell!" murmured a man at the other side in mild amazement.

But not even the importance of the arrival of the Dillingworth Lumber company could keep silent this bunch of men from the ends of the earth. They were free lances, following wherever fancy and the lumber camps led them through the mountains and the big woods, contented in this place or moving on, bound by no rules, as independent and unholdable as the very birds of the air.

In three minutes the laughter was sweeping gustily again, accompanied by the solid clink of cook-shack dishes, the chatter of knives for the most part used as very adequate shovels, and Walter Sandry was forgotten or passed over.

An hour later he stood alone in the middle of a tiny room at the south end of the building, looking fixedly at the yellow flame of a glass hand-lamp on a stand. Under the lamp was a woolly mat of bright red yarn, a wonderful creation—under that a thin, white scarf, beautifully clean, the fringed creases standing out stiffly. Beside the lamp lay a pink-lipped conch shell and a Bible.

Sandry looked longest at the Bible beside the lamp and presently he took it up curiously, fingering it with a quizzical, weary smile.

Its edges were thin and frayed and he noticed that it was greatly worn. Walter Sandry smiled and glanced at random through the book.

"Motherhood," he said half aloud, "Is there nowhere a father?—a dear old chap of the earth, a gentle old man with white hair? One who has raised a son?" As if in answer to the whimsical words, the fragile leaves

separated at the tragic record of King David and the words of that ancient father-heart stared up at him. "Oh, Absalom, my son, my son!" vital in their anguish. With a snap he closed the book, holding it tightly clasped in his hands while he stared into the flame of the lamp with knit brows and twitching lips.

It was as if the fateful cry had touched some sore spot in his heart, set throbbing some half-healed pain. For a moment a shadow as of a vague remorse darkened his expressive face. Then a resolute strength tightened his lips and he laid the Bible gently down and blew out the light.

It was cold in the little room and the rain was dripping from the eaves.

CHAPTER III.

The Wondrous Hills at Dawn.

He was awakened next morning by the thunder of heavily shod men storming in from the bunkhouse. The smell of cooking was in the air and the crack under his door showed lamp-light.

The rain was still dripping softly from the eaves. As Sandry came into the eating room the old woman of the kitchen was looking over the crowd of men as impersonally as he himself had done the night before, with a poise as assured and a subtle force as strongly indicated.

Her bright, old eyes, blue as his own, met his lifted glance as he hesitated.

"Set down in the place you had last night, Mr. Sandry," she said in a rich voice, "it's yours now. John'll move down a notch."

She went back into the mysterious region of ples and doughnuts, and Sandry was conscious of a slight feeling of wonder. He was already taken in as one of the family in a subtle way, and it did not quite suit him to be so. If he missed certain lifelong attributes of service and surrounding, if he took his place among these rough men with an inward tremor of rebellion, he made no sign.

Again the girl he had met on the farther side of the mountain tended in silence, a trifle more aloof. She was clad in the same sort of blue flannel shirt the men wore, with a red tie under the turndown collar and a rather short blue skirt showing her feet faced trimly into miniature boots. The latter were even full of small steel caulks.

It was still dark when the loggers trooped out into the fine rain.

John Dally came to him.

"Now, what would you like, Mr. Sandry?" he asked. "Will you come into the hills with us, or would you rather rest around camp? You come a long way, I guess."

"Yes. From New York."

"I was thinkin' yesterday mornin' you'd rather just loaf around—"

"Yesterday? Did you expect me?"

"Oh, yes. I got a letter from Mr. Frazer last week. He said the company had made a change and I might look for a visit."

"I think I'll go about," said Sandry. Outside it was fresh and slightly

cool. A thick, white fog struck him in the face with an almost palpable touch. It lay close to the earth, a sluggish monster spread down in the valleys as if for warmth. Through its enshrouding whiteness a lantern gleamed faintly across the slough.

Already the little locomotive was getting up steam and the donkey showed a red throat for an instant as McDonald shoved in more wood.

From ahead came shouts and a laugh or two as the men struggled up to the railway.

There were five cabins set around on the edge of the small, sloping mountain meadow which gave back to ground for Dally's camp; and in all the windows lights were gleaming. In one cabin a door opened and a man came out, stopping a moment on the sill to reach up and kiss a woman, who stood silhouetted against the light, when the door closed and Sandry could not see the man, though he could hear his footsteps. The foreman swung ahead in the path.

"They're a foot-log here," he said. "Tide-water slough. Tain't deep."

They stopped at the foot of the ridge where the donkey, the railway and the track terminal huddled against the bold uplift, and Dally introduced him to Hastings and Murphy, the latter of whom hung out of the window of his diminutive cab and peered at the stranger out of laughing eyes whose forbears had twinkled on Donegal's blue bay and Erin's red-cheeked daughters with impartial joy.

"Ah, Mither Dillingworth," he said heartily, "an' phat d'ye t'ink av the West Coast now?"

"Sandy, Murphy," caught up Dally easily, yet with a warning note.

"Shure! Sandy 'tis! Excuse me, Mither Sandry, but ain't th' scenery fone?"

"What I've seen, yes, Murphy," answered Sandry after a slight pause. As he turned after Dally the Irishman stuck his tongue in the corner of his lips and drummed a minute on the sill, the broad smile lessening on his reckless face.

"An' phat d'ye know about that?" he asked retrospectively of the fog. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

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## WAITING FOR THE END OF THE WAR

"Then Take Advantage of the Opportunities in Canada."

(Contributed by W. J. White, of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Canada.)

I strolled into a bank in one of the cities of the west a short time ago and the bank manager said "after the war, the Canadians should be prepared for a great influx of people. The crops that the western Canadian farms have produced in 1915, and the wealth that the farmers have had thrust upon them by the high price of grain, will make farm lands valuable and farming remunerative. After the war is over there will be thousands go to Canada to engage in agriculture and many other industries that will certainly prove profitable. Conditions will be wonderfully good. The advertising that Canada has had during the last year or two by its magnificent contribution of over 250,000 men to fight for the Empire, the wonderful sums it has given to the Red Cross and Patriotic funds, the excellent showing it made in subscribing over double when only 50 millions of dollars was asked as a war loan, the bravery, courage and hardihood of the soldiers who have fought the battles in Flanders, it is just wonderful," and my enthusiastic banker grew eloquent. One might have thought he was a subsidized booster for Canada. "But," he said "they won't go until after the war."

"Well, now, Mr. —, why wait until after the war? If all you say be true, and you have said nothing yet of the wonderful bank clearings of Canada today, nothing of the fact that the immense grain crop of Western Canada this year has given to every man, woman and child in that country, over three hundred dollars per head, why wait until after the war? After the war, under such conditions as you have pictured (and which are real) land values will go up, prices will increase. Advantage should be taken of the low prices at which these agricultural lands can be had today. They have not increased any as yet, and excellent farm lands can be had close to railways in old settlements, in excellent communities for from fifteen to thirty dollars per acre. The climate is good and will be no better after the war."

"What about conscription, though? Is there not a danger from conscription, and should I advise any to go there now, would they not have to face it? Then too, there is the report that there is a heavy war tax on lands."

I was surprised to learn that these old yarns, stories that I thought had been exploded long ago, were still doing duty in many parts of the United States, and that a gentleman of the wide learning of my friend, was inclined to believe them.

"Conscription!" I said. "With Canada contributing 250,000 men voluntarily enlisted, why conscription? There is no conscription in Canada, and neither will there be. It is not needed. In any case no legislation could be passed by the Dominion Parliament which would impose military service upon people who are not citizens of Canada, either by birth or naturalization. Settlers from the United States could not become naturalized British subjects until they had resided in Canada continuously for three years," I quoted from official documents.

"In the first few months of the war I clearly stated that there would not be conscription in Canada. I repeat that statement today."

"And then as to taxes," I continued, quoting again from the Federal Government take the indirect form of customs excise and inland revenue duties. It is untrue that farmers are paying direct war-tax levies and no intending settler need hesitate to come to Canada on this account."

"Official denials should convince you that all apprehensions which have been making some would-be-settlers from the United States hesitate to make a change while the war lasts are without foundation. With these misunderstandings cleared up, the present war conditions even become an added inducement to settlement in any part of the provinces of western Canada, inasmuch as war prices and keen demands for all manner of farm products afford the farmer a special opportunity to make money."

I was glad of the chance and pleased to have him state that his views had altogether changed.

I could have continued, and told him of the fortunes that had been made in the season of 1915, out of farming, wheat growing, oat growing, barley growing, cattle raising, dairying and mixed farming. I could have told him of an Ottawa (Canada) syndicate that had a yield of 130 bushels of oats per acre from their farm at Wainwright and from 60 acres of wheat field they thrashed over 60 bushels per acre. These yields while phenomenal, were repeated in many portions of western Canada. It was interesting to inform him that the average yield of spring wheat in Saskatchewan was 25.16 bushels per acre; Manitoba, 26.3 bushels; in Alberta, 36.16 bushels, and over the three provinces there was an average of over 30 bushels per acre.

"The immense crop that has just

been harvested has put millions of dollars in the hands of the farmers, and the work of distribution through the regular channels of trade has already begun. Millions of bushels of grain are still in the hands of the farmers, which means that there is a vast store of realizable wealth that will be steadily going into circulation, benefitting the thousands who are dependent indirectly on the basic industry of the province for their livelihood.

"The mock prosperity that rested on the insecure foundation of inflated real estate values has passed away, and in its place the corner stone of the country's sound financial future is being built.

"The trust and mortgage companies, the large implement concerns and the wholesale merchants all tell the same story today of marked improvement in their business. The farmers and others are meeting their just dues and paying off debts that in many cases have been long overdue. Collections are better today than they have been since the most prosperous days of its history, and obligations are being met freely and promptly.

"Now," I said, "why should they wait until the war is over?" And he agreed with me.—Advertisement.

### THIN PERSONS LIVE LONGEST

As Age Advances Investigations Show Danger From Overweight Is Increased.

Recent investigations show that the longest life and best health are not to be found among those of average build at any particular age. On the contrary, it is discovered that in those at the younger age who are slightly overweight and at the older ages among those who are distinctly underweight the longest life and best health will be found.

Overweight is, above thirty-odd years, a definite disadvantage to health. It means stoniness, lack of elasticity, clogged up tissues, and lack of the power of adaptability to invading germs, says London ideas. Men from twenty to twenty-four can be accepted as healthy and for a long life fifty to sixty pounds above normal. Less excess weight is permissible between twenty-five and fifty and increasingly less as you go up. There are one-third more deaths among men between sixty-five and eighty who are fifty pounds to sixty pounds fatter than they should be for a given height. At the ages of thirty-four to forty-five from thirty-five pounds to forty-five pounds heavier weight than a man should be double his risk of death. For anyone above thirty-five who is thirty pounds too obese life insurance companies hereafter will consider poor risks or raise their insurance rates.

### PLEASANT FOR THE GUEST

One Can Imagine What She Would Have Liked to Do to Dear Little Freddie.

A woman who uses a telephone ear trumpet was lately calling on the mother of a very lively youngster, age five. It was Freddie's first sight of such an aid to deafness, and naturally he was quite curious about it.

"Mother, I want to talk over the telephone! I want to talk over the telephone!" he teased.

The mother, knowing she would have no peace until his wish was granted, apologized and informed Mrs. G. of his desire.

"Why, certainly, my dear. I shall be glad to talk to you!" said Mrs. G.

"Think quick, now, what you are going to say!" cautioned his mother as she gave him the telephone.

"A right!" chirped Freddie as he put the receiver to his mouth. "Hello, Central! Give me Mrs. G., who is deaf an' dumb!" yelled Freddie at the top of his voice. — Indianapolis News.

In Place of Gossip. "Conversation classes" are the fad of the moment. At a conversation class, of course, you learn to converse; and the women who attend are desirous of reviving real conversation at the expense of mere talking.

The members of the class meet in one another's drawing rooms, sometimes without a teacher or "director of conversation," and one of the first things impressed upon the audience is that intelligent listening is as much of an art as brilliant talking. When there is no teacher, little groups of women meet and agree upon certain topics of conversation, about which each member informs herself. One woman in the class is appointed to rule out interruptions and irrelevant remarks and keep each talker to a time limit. This is interesting to all the members of the class, and certainly more to be recommended than the gossip to which women are given.

Rapt Appreciation. "The president seems to be getting close to the common people."

"Sure. And he's using the kind of language they can understand."

"Yes?"

"Every time he drops into the vernacular they cheer themselves hoarse."—Exchange.

'Nother Leap Year Mishap. "After the encouragement you have given me," said the anxious maid, "it is real rude of you to decline my offer."

"Well, perhaps it is," replied the young man with the frigid heart. "but I'm afraid my acceptance of your offer would also be ruled later."

## ROASTS HIS FEET INSTEAD OF HAM

Fire-Water, Fire in Range, Man's Feet in Oven, Hot-Foot.

### SCENTS STRANGE ODOR

Wife Returning From Church Cannot Reconcile Aroma With That of Cooking Ham—George Is Puzzle to Her.

Chicago.—Sunday surpassed in its geniality. There was the hum of spring in the air, and one could almost hear the birds tweet.

George Bronjohla yawned fearfully and viewed the earth with restful Sabbath satisfaction.

"George," said Mrs. Bronjohla, as she wiped off the skillet and laid it on the stove for a moment to dry thoroughly, "I bet it's a fine day to go to church."

"You lose," said George. Mrs. Bronjohla sized George up out of the corner of her eye and went of the kitchen table, she showed it in a corner, and took off her apron.

"I guess I'll step over and hear the sermon," said she. "It's a fine day and too bad to miss it. When it gets time, put the ham in the oven for dinner and I'll be right home."

"Fair enough," quoth George, and his wife went her way to the church. He sneaks a Nip or So.

George yawned again and decided he felt a slight nip in the air, even though it did seem like a swell day, so he tossed off about two fingers of shark soup from a black bottle. This was reviving, to be candid, and George drew a chair up to the stove and toasted his shins generously.

Presently an idea occurred to him, and he opened the oven door and inserted his weary feet in the kindly warmth.

Then he fell asleep.

It was due time when Mrs. Bronjohla returned from church, and she couldn't exactly reconcile the odor she met with the delicious aroma of ham she expected.

"No ham ever sounded like that," she muttered to herself as she walked



Thrashed the Air With His Flaming Pedals.

toward the kitchen. "George, is something burning?"

It was George's feet. His wife jostled him rudely and he came to with a start.

"Hinges of Hell!" howled George, and he leaped to his feet. Then he sat down again, it being not so convenient to stand.

Little Left but Ashes.

His shoes were, for all practical purposes, incinerated. His socks were all gone, so that he resembled in some measure the winged Mercury doing a hot-foot, that is to say, characterizing the habits of a messenger boy. And George was not lacking in zeal, for he thrashed the air with his flaming pedals until the fire died out and blisters ensued.

Mrs. Bronjohla called the South Chicago police, and an ambulance came. "I can't understand," said Mrs. Bronjohla, "how he came to mistake his feet for a ham."

### ELOPERS WIN THE RACE

When Parents Find the Young Couple Married They Extend Their Blessing.

Booneville, Miss. — Miss Bertha Wings of Henrietta, Okla., and E. B. Wingo of Alabama, had been married here but a few minutes when the parents of the bride arrived in quite a hurry.

They had pursued the elopers across Arkansas, preventing their marriage in that state, and hoped to do the same thing in Mississippi, and thus effectually discourage their project. When beaten they relented, and bestowed parental blessings.

Mother Looked Baby in a Drawer. Bellaire, O.—Harry Burkhardt, testified in court the other day that his wife has been putting their young baby in a bureau drawer and going out with other men. He got a divorce.

## Jump from Bed in Morning and Drink Hot Water

Tells why everyone should drink hot water each morning before breakfast.

Why is man and woman, half the time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headachy, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anaemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living. For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms ptomaine-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary as it is to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much from your druggist or at the store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the system.—Adv.

No Hope for Him. Fair Visitor—What is this poor man in jail for? Jailor—For wife murder, ma'am. Fair Visitor—Oh, what a pity! But isn't he sweet, though? Jailor—Yes, ma'am. The judge says he is too sweet to live.

## FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots. There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription "othine-double" strength is guaranteed to remove these homely spots. Simply get an ounce of othine-double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it at night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Didn't Make Good. "I hear Yorick Hamm has left vaudeville." "Yep; to its fate."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Unnecessary. "Do you tell your wife everything?" "It isn't necessary. She knows everything."—Detroit Free Press.

Throw Off Colds and Prevent Grip. When you feel coming on, take LAXA. THY HORMONE QUININE. It removes cause of Colds and Grip. Only One "HORMONE QUININE" R. W. GIBBS'S signature on box.

According to Her Cook Book. Bride—Merciful heavens! That pie is burning and I can't take it out for ten minutes yet!—Lile.

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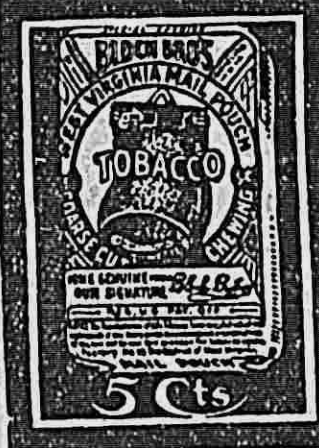
When suffering from pimples, blackheads, redness or roughness, smear the skin with Cuticura Ointment. Then wash off with Cuticura Soap and hot water. These super-creamy emollients do much for the skin because they prevent pore clogging.

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No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

Anatomically Speaking. It was at a social gathering in a mountain settlement of Tennessee, and the schoolteacher was there and wanted to show off her learning to the company. She selected a long, lank, red necked young fellow for her target and lit in:

"Do you say 'leg' or 'limb'?" she wanted to know.

"Mostly, marm, I say shank," said good old Tennessee.—Nashville Banner.

## SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

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Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

No Hurry. "When are you going to tell the people just where you stand on this important question?"

"Not till I have to," replied Senator Sorghum. "I'm going to let everybody express opinions before I do, and then select the one that seems most popular."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

The Difficult Part. She—What do you think of Mrs. Howell's idea of getting up a dinner for six persons at a cost of only one dollar.

He—Well, I've no doubt she could get it done up all right, but the trouble would be in finding six persons who would be willing to get it down.

The Other Way About. "Wonder how old Roxleigh came to select such a young wife?"

"He didn't. She selected him."

To have what you want is wealth; to do without is power.



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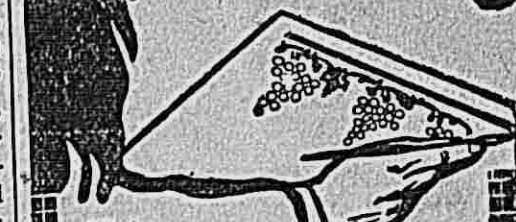
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W. N. U., CHICAGO, NO. 10-1916.

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An Eastern automobilist furnishes an idea for others when he says that he never uses a horn because he considers that pedestrians shouldn't have to look out for him—he should look out for them. If automobilists in general were converted to his way of thinking there would be less work for the coroners.

"Wau! in America dress better than women in Europe, but the men dress much worse," says a woman writer. Heavens, lady, we can't both dress well!

War will lose some of its horrors for a lot of American schoolchildren when they learn that German pupils have been dismissed from school to gather nuts.

It depends on how cold the morning whether the man who gives you a lift downtown in his car is a friend of yours or not.

An American manufacturer has sold 1,000,000 cans of Irish stew to the French army. That's good fighting fodder, anyhow.

American women, it is claimed, spend \$10,000,000 a year on poodles. And yet some men growl at leading a dog's life.

When a man bites down on something hard in an oyster nothing less than a \$500 pearl will mollify him.

One of the reasons why men go to war appears in the revival of a movement in favor of corsets for men.

New Form of Camera.  
A camera with which motion pictures of the aurora borealis have been made has been built by a Swedish scientist.

## REMEDY IS WORSE THAN THE AILMENT



(Copyright.)

**Had Kept Them.**  
"Oh, the insult! Montmorency and I quarreled. I returned his presents and he returned mine."  
"That is not beyond patching up."  
"Yes, it is. He included a plate of doughnuts that I baked for him last spring."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

**Different Days.**  
"Yes, I do some rather profitable trading with the Indians."  
"Do you mean to say you peddle glass beads and brass bracelets?"  
"I should remark not. The Indians want real diamonds and wrist watches now."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

**To Open Sardines.**  
When a box of sardines is opened, it should be drained of its oil at once and the fish turned out.

**Good Rule of Life.**  
Avoid extremes in living. Be generous (as generous as you can) getting as much pleasure as possible out of life, and take care that proper provision is in some way made for the future.

**How Much Land There Is.**  
If all the land now above sea level, 25,000,000 cubic miles, were spread uniformly over the globe, it would form a shell about 660 feet thick.

**Good Humor at the Table.**  
If you would thoroughly enjoy your food, be good humored. An angry man doesn't know whether he is eating boiled cabbage or stewed umbrellas.

**No Foddering Goes Here.**  
A man's stomach will stand a good deal of abuse, but when it does turn insurgent it's the other fellow who has to seek terms of peace.

**Did It.**  
An old countryman, being congratulated by the rector on the fact that her only son had enlisted, said: "Well, sir; after all it was only to be expected, for, sure, the old proverb says: 'Train up a child and away he goes!'"

**To Clean Combs.**  
Put two tablespoonfuls of ammonia in a basin of warm water, and let the comb remain in this solution about one-half hour. Remove, and wipe dry. The comb will be spotlessly clean.—Woman's Home Companion.

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THE CROWDS GROW GREATER AS BARGAINS BECOME BETTER KNOWN

You may have attended some wonderful sales in your experience. You may have bought goods at prices which seemed to you ridiculously low but never before in all your born days have you seen goods of such splendid character sacrificed at the prices we are making now.

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NEW CLEAN HIGH CLASS  
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Last 3 Days!  
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Curtain scrim, worth 10c, per yd	7c
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Serge dress goods, worth 75c, per yd	43c
Table oil cloth, worth 25c, per yd	15c
Towels, fancy borders, large size, worth 15c, now	7c

Ladies handkerchiefs, worth up to 10c.....	2c
Girls and childrens dresses, worth \$1.25.....	69c
Ladies union suits, worth \$1.25.....	79c
Ladies house dresses worth up to \$1.50.....	89c
Mens 25c suspenders.....	10c

Mens 15c hose at.....	7c
Mens silk hose at.....	17c
ANY MENS HAT—Worth up to \$2.00.....	49c
Mens wool shirts, worth \$1.25.....	79c
Mens 10c hose, at.....	5c

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Granulated sugar, 17 lbs., for	99c
Swift's Pride soap, 10 bars for	25c
Lenox soap, 10 bars for	25c
K. C. Baking powder, worth 25c,	18c
Arm and Hammer soda worth 10c,	7c

Remember, there are thousands of other articles not mentioned here at equally low prices at

HILLEBRAND'S,

FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY, MARCH 3rd, 4th, and 6th.



## LOCAL NEWS AND PERSONALITIES

The Spoilers, Saturday, March 11.  
Harry Isaacs was in Chicago Monday.  
See my window of 60c hats. Chase Webb.

Harold Williams was in Chicago on Monday.  
Mrs. Maude Sabin was in Burlington Monday.

Edward Raidy of Chicago is visiting relatives here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Turner of Grayslake were here Saturday.

Mrs. John Hancock of Superior, Wis. visited relatives here last week.  
Mesdames Brook and Morley spent Friday and Saturday in Chicago.

Mrs. Jas. Turner of Hebron, spent last week with Mrs. Johonnott and other relatives here.

See samples of clover, timothy and alfalfa seeds, at Webb's.

March should surely go out very gently if the way it came in is any indication.

L. M. Hughes moved his household goods into the Chinn flat on Orchard street this week.

A broken wheel on a freight car caused a considerable tie up of traffic on the Soo line track here this morning.  
Best toilet soap values in town at King's drug store. Sample assorted 6 10c-bars (no two alike) special this week 39 cents.

Max Huber arrived here from Colorado, Sunday evening. His many Antioch friends are glad to welcome him back.

Miss Louise Hillebrand, who is taking a course of study at DeKalb, spent over Sunday with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sheehan returned home Thursday having spent the past two months in Pensacola, Fla., and report a fine time.

The next meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the M. E. church, Wednesday, Mar. 8, at 2:30 o'clock. Margaret Pelter, Sec.

Saturday at the Crystal "The Nature Man" or the struggle for existence, a five part feature with a thousand wonders. Something different.

Are you going to the big dance Saturday evening? You should, its going to be a great event at the Antioch opera house. Hanneman's orchestra will furnish music. Tickets 75 cents.

My eye-specialist and optician of Chicago will be at my store on Saturday, Mar. 4, from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. If you have any kind of eye trouble do not fail to see him. Wm. Keulman, Jeweler & Optician, Antioch.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Williams and granddaughter Bettie, left Saturday for Dexter, Kansas, for a few weeks visit with Dr. and Mrs. Roy Williams after which they will proceed to the western part of the state to be in attendance at the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Munson, which will take place May 1st.

Hot water bottles guaranteed 2 years for \$2, at King's drug store. The best is always cheapest.

Only three days more left in which to secure bargains at Hillebrand's big sale, Friday, Saturday and Monday are the last days you will have in which to take advantage of the remarkable offerings he has on display. You surely can not help being satisfied with both the quality and price of the goods placed on sale. The best testimonial of the genuineness of the bargains is the large crowds that throng the store every day and every evening.

## Notice of Sale

I have on hand some fifty or sixty pieces of furniture including chairs, mattress, beds, springs, tables, vacuum cleaners, stoves, rugs, etc., which I will sell for whatever they will bring, store open all day tomorrow (Friday) when above goods must be sold. If in need of any of the above line don't miss this big opportunity.  
Ted Lenore.

## Notice

I hereby announce myself a candidate for collector for the town of Lake Villa, subject to the will of the majority of the voters of said town.  
John Cribb.

## Announcement

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for town clerk at the coming caucus subject to the good will of the majority of the voters.  
C. F. Richards.

## Optimistic Thought.

Hospitality and benevolence never appear to such advantage as when they accompany each other.

## Burned Down Six Times.

London bridge has been burned down six times.

Arthur Edgar was in Chicago Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Hillebrand was in Chicago Monday.

Try "The Quality" shop for that spring suit.

Wm. Harrower was in Chicago on business Monday.

Earl Somerville spent the latter part of last week in Chicago.

Dan Horan of Chicago is visiting at the home of Father Lynch.

Jacob Savage spent Sunday with Chase Webb in Waukegan.

Miss Ready of Chicago spent over Sunday with Mabel Brogan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lenore arrived here Monday for a short visit.

H. Gelstrup of Springfield is spending a few days with relatives here.

T. J. Lynch of Kolze called on his brother Andrew Sunday evening.

Henry Billett spent several days this week with his mother at Rockford.

Fancy combs and barretts at half price for one week only at Keulman's Jewelry store.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fox are the proud parents of a baby girl who came to their home Feb. 25.

Mesdames Vickers and Hembrook of Chetek, Wis., were called here by the serious illness of their father.

Kremenz collar buttons, as good as solid gold, in sets of 4, regular price \$1 now 54c. Single buttons 16c, at Keulman's.

The W. F. M. S. will hold its next regular meeting Tuesday, Mar. 7, at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Ella Ames. Mrs. A. Clark, Sec.

Sunday night at the Crystal "The Reaping" a three part essay feature, featuring Richard Travers and Lillian Drew. Comedy, "The Parsons Race Horse."

B. F. Naber has rent his farm to Mr. Anderson and the Naber family will make their home in rooms which will be included in the construction of the new brick building.

Mrs. Scott will instruct the members of the Eastern Star in the ritualistic work on Tuesday, March 7, afternoon and evening. This instruction can not fail to benefit all who attend and none should miss this opportunity.

The Twinklers were very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. F. M. Simmons and Mrs. E. L. Simons at the home of the latter Tuesday afternoon. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent with cards and all enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Palmer.

Judge Ninian H. Welch of Chicago, but who was born and raised near Rosecrans was defeated for precinct committeeman in the Thirteenth ward in Chicago Tuesday. He was an anti-Thompson candidate but was opposed to D. W. Clarke, who had held the position for 23 years. He was beaten by a narrow margin.

## Going Out of Business

As I am about to retire from business I will sell out my entire stock, including fixtures, commencing Monday, March 6, at less than cost price for cash.  
Frank Chinn.

## Card of Thanks

To all who have shown us sympathy and helpfulness during our recent bereavement we wish to express our sincere gratitude and appreciation.  
J. R. Jones,  
Lottie M. Jones,  
Mrs. Olive Haycock.

## Notice

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Highways of the town of Antioch, subject to the will of the majority of voters.  
Fred Brown.

## Notice

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of collector of the town of Lake Villa, subject to the will of the majority of the voters of said town.  
Percy Dibble.

## "Camphor" Tree.

A tree, the leaves of which yield an oil from which camphor can be extracted, has been discovered in Australia.

## No One Knows.

Why is it that so many men who can't swim a stroke will tell the best stories in the world of the old swimming hole?—Milwaukee Journal.

## Pleasure-Loving Italians.

In Italy there are more theaters in proportion to the population than in any other country.

Clover, timothy and alfalfa seeds, at Webb's.

Clyde Kidrade was in Burlington on Friday.

Bert Moore visited his aunt, Miss Libbie Moore, over Sunday.

Wm. Hunter and son Wilbur were Chicago passengers Friday.

Order your field seeds now, as they are going higher. Chase Webb.

Frank Brogan and Charley Hughes started for Moberg, S. D., Saturday.

Mrs. F. Kilroy of Lake Villa and Mrs. J. Kilroy of Area were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lynch last Thursday.

I will be at Chase Webb's store on Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week to receive taxes.  
W. T. Taylor, Collector.

For loss of appetite and a general spring tonic. The best thing is Rexall Syrup Hypophosphites. Money back if not satisfied. King's drug store.

The Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church, will meet with Mrs. L. B. Grice on Tuesday, March 7, at 2 p. m. Everybody invited. Mrs. Chase Webb, Sec.

The Twinklers will be entertained by Mrs. Frank Palmer and Mrs. Frank Kandlik at the former's home, Wednesday, March 8. All members invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitton, Chas. Whitton, Mrs. Hannah Engstrom of Chicago spent a few days last week at the home of their sister, Mrs. George Dunford having been called there by the death of their mother.

## Announcement

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of collector of the town of Antioch at the coming primaries, subject to the will of the majority vote.  
W. T. Taylor.

## Announcement

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Highways of the town of Antioch, subject to the will of the majority of the voters.  
Frank Dunn.

## Church Services

## Methodist Episcopal Church

Evert Knight Hester, Minister.

Why go to church? Mr. Dudley A. Siddall in the Ladies Home Journal says. Going to church on Sunday gave my Sundays a real object, a zest, an indefinable something that they never had before. It will do so with you. Try it next Sunday and follow it up, and then tell about it.

10:30 a. m.—Public Worship.  
12:00 a. m.—Sunday School. Adult bible classes. The Baraca bible class for all men. The Delta Alpha class for young women.

Sunday—3:00 p. m.—Meeting of the Junior League.  
6:30 p. m. Epworth League hour.  
7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic services, special song service.

A most cordial invitation is extended to all to enjoy the services of this church.

## Hickory M. E. Church

F. W. SANDERSON, Pastor,  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Epworth League 7:50 p. m.  
Evening Worship 8:15 p. m.

St. Ignatius' Episcopal Church  
EVERETT CARR, PASTOR  
Church School at 9:45.  
Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock.

## Christian Science

Christian Science services held at the Crystal theater, every Sunday, at 10:45 a. m.

## Ought to Help Some.

A British scientist has invented a method of locating submarines. That ought to enable the timid British to avoid their dangerous vicinity.—Rochester Herald.

## Trieste's Chief Industry.

Trieste, in Austria, is a center of the meerschaum pipe industry.

## Daily Thought.

I was never less alone than when with myself.—Gibson.

Young men and women can now attend business college and be furnished work to pay board. Schools at Racine, Waukegan, Beaver Dam. Positions guaranteed. Address: William Busch, College Milwaukee.

Come in and see

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March 2nd., Think of it

How about that new spring suit of clothes you have been figuring on getting? This is the place to get it and at the price you want to pay. FIT GUARANTEED.

Everything for men and young men, at  
The Quality Shop

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All advertisements inserted under this head at the following rates: Five lines or less, 25 cents for first insertion, 15 cents for each subsequent insertion. More than five lines, 5 cents a line for first insertion, and 3 cents a line for additional insertions.

Information—By calling 149-J News office will take that little for sale or want ad very nicely and save you time. Try it.

FOR RENT—House with 12 rooms, with out-buildings, about two acres of land, some fruit, etc., a desirable location for raising poultry or truck gardening. Premises situated on the corner Grass Lake road and avenue leading to Queen of the West. Possession can be given at any time. C. E. Blunt, Antioch.

FOR RENT—A house and lot in the village of Antioch, 7 rooms, barn, 66x 125 foot lot. Inquire at this office.

LOST—A pair of horse hide mittens in Antioch Saturday while doing shopping. Finder please leave with Percy Dibble.

FOR SALE—House and 100x140 foot lot with barn and garden space. House having modern conveniences and located in the village of Antioch. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Good work horse, wt. 1250. Inquire of Barney Trieger, Grass Lake. Call 157-J-2.

FOR SALE—Two young horses, bus, wagon, 2 buggies, double harness, 2 single harness. Inquire of G. M. Richardson, Channel Lake.

FOR SALE—Two tons alfalfa hay, second cutting. Frank Harden.

FOR RENT—House on North Main street. Mrs. E. Cubbon.

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Wm Loughrey to Chas Calla mad and wf lot 102 Shaw Fox Lake sub w d	200 00
W M Brinkman and wf to Oswald Altmann and wf nly 40 ft lot 6 Brophys sub village of Fox Lake village w d	570 00
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## Optimistic Thought.

A man must be a hero to understand a hero.

## The

## Promise of Spring

Its in the air and many things are timely. For example—let us suggest it—the work of

## Wiring Your House

## for

## Electric Service

We're in the market to do it—cheaply and without inconvenience to the occupants.

## Public Service Co.

of Northern Illinois

## Auction Sale

Having sold his farm the undersigned will sell at public auction on his farm situated 7 miles east of Antioch, 4 miles west of Russell and 1 mile south of the state line, on Tuesday, March 7

Commencing at 10 o'clock the following described property.

3 3-yr old work horses, 1 colt, 24 milch cows, mostly Holstein, some fresh, some coming in, 5 with calf by side; registered cow with calf by side; registered bull, 13 heifers, 16 shoats, about 50 chickens.

Deering grain binder, Deering corn binder, Deering mower, side deli very rake, seeders and planters. 3 riding cultivators, sulkey and walking plows, pulverizer, clod crusher, bob sleigh, cutter, surrey, 2 wide tire wagons, narrow tire wagon, milk wagon, Great Western manure spreader, milk cans and tank, work harness, driving harness, all tools. Silage, all hay in barn, 12 stacks of clover and wild hay, stack millet, stack corn stalks, stack straw, 500 bu oats, 50 bu potatoes. Estay organ, chunk heating stove, some household furniture.

Lunch served.  
Usual terms with 12 mos.

Conrad Buschman, Prop.  
Geo. Vogel, Auctioneer.  
J. E. Brook, Clerk.

## Obituary

Anna Elizabeth Whitley was born in Sheffield, Yorkshire, England on the twenty-fourth day of January 1861 and died February 21, 1916 at the age of 55 years 28 days. She was married in 1876 to John Handley of Sheffield, England. Of this union she leaves two sons and one daughter, John and George Handley and Mrs. Mary E. Lamphere, all of Meriden Connecticut. She was separated 1884 and two years later was united in marriage to Mr. Frank Whitton of Sheffield, England coming to Chicago to make their home. She leaves two sons and one daughter from this union. Frank and Charles Whitton of Chicago and Mrs. Anna E. Dunford of this place. Also ten grandchildren. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon, February 23 at Liberty church with burial in the Liberty cemetery.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all those who so kindly assisted us in the sickness and death of our dear mother and most especially do we wish to thank John Bohrn and family and John Wilcox.

Frank Whitton,  
Charles Whitton,  
Mrs. Anna Dunford.

## Barefoot Football.

Football in Burma is almost as popular as it is in America. The natives play the game unshod and do all their kicking with bare toes.

## Have Strange Preference.

In Cochlin China, the inhabitants prefer rotten eggs to fresh ones.

## ECCENTRICITIES OF GENIUS.

"And whose little boy are you?" asked the benevolent but near-sighted professor of a small boy he noticed walking along at his side.

"Why, I'm your little boy, father. Don't you know me?"

"Well, well! So you are!" exclaimed the professor, peering into the child's face. "And what are you doing so far from home?"

"You told me to come along with you and carry something home to mother."

"Dear me! So I did. And—hum—what was it now your mother wanted?"

## 'Twas Ever Thus.

Bridegroom (in parlor car)—Darling, you seem sad. Is it possible that you already regret the step you have taken?

Bride—No, dearest; it isn't that. I am only worried, that's all.

Bridegroom—Worried! Why, my angel, what can you have to worry about?

Bride—I've been trying to remember something we might have forgotten, and I can't.

## THERE WERE SIX OF THEM.



"I understand that Gotrox married his wife for her figure."

"Well, not exactly. I think he was influenced to a large extent by the ciphers which followed it."

## Help! Help!

I know a lot of maidens fair,  
And widows gay, as well;  
And this explains my missing heart—  
But which has it, I can't tell.

## Heard at the Club.

"Jimson has become a very firm believer in signs," remarked Black.

"What caused it?" asked White.

"Why, he picked up a horseshoe in front of his house yesterday, and when he went in he found a note from his wife saying that she'd run away with the chauffeur."—Judge.

## Scene of Much Fighting.

With the exception of Gibraltar, Constantinople has probably experienced more fighting right up to its walls than any other important town in the world.

## London Newspapers.

The leading daily newspapers in London number 25.

# ANTIOCH PACKING COMPANY Saturday Special

Pork Shoulder, per lb. - 12c

Fresh Ham, per lb. - 15c

Smoked Ham, per lb. - 16c

Bacon, per lb. - 14c. & 18c.

Rib Roast, per lb. - 15c

Head Cheese, per lb. - 10c

Salt Pork, 100 lbs, per lb. 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c.

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## 2 PERISH IN BLAST RUSS CAPTURE CITY

MANY FRAME HOUSES ARE DESTROYED IN SUBURB OF ST. LOUIS.

### SEEK BODIES IN RUINS

Women and Children Injured When Powder in Sewer Builder's Storehouse Explodes—Two Blocks of Homes Damaged.

St. Louis, March 1.—At least two persons are known to have been killed and twenty-eight injured, seven of them seriously, when five cases of dynamite stored at Maplewood for sewer construction work exploded on Monday. Maplewood is a suburb of about 5,000 people, adjoining St. Louis on the southwest.

Approximately thirty houses, most of them frame, were demolished by the explosion, and many other houses were damaged. Windows were broken for fifteen blocks.

Searching parties explored the ruins for more bodies, which it was feared had been buried in the wreckage.

The powder house in which the dynamite was stored belonged to the Cooney Construction company, which is building a sewer in Maplewood to connect with a St. Louis sewer.

First reports were that the explosion had resulted in an appalling loss of life and that 100 had been injured. All available ambulances and patrol wagons in St. Louis and four fire companies were rushed to Maplewood.

The cause of the explosion is not known. A hole sixty feet in diameter and fifteen feet deep was torn in the ground by the blast, which was heard several miles away.

### HENRY JAMES, AUTHOR, DIES

Novelist, Who Was Born in America, Spent Most of His Life in Europe.

London, March 1.—Henry James, the novelist, died on Monday, after an illness of more than two months with pneumonia.

Although he was born in New York in 1843, he took the oath of allegiance to Great Britain July 26, 1915. Henry James was renowned as the international novelist because, born an American, he early hurried to England, resided there, met Americans there, wrote of them there, and in many of his books cast the deadly parallel between the Yankee and his foreign brother. He became a British subject last July. He was born in New York April 15, 1843, the son of Rev. Henry and Mary R. Walsh James. Mr. James was educated in France and Switzerland and in Harvard Law school. He was a prolific writer, turning out a novel or two each year and also contributing short stories and "impressions" or critiques.

### MAIL ROBBED OF \$200,000

Registered Packages Are Stolen From Ferry From Jersey City to New York.

New York, March 1.—The robbery of four valuable registered mail packages, in what appears to have been an attempt to steal at least \$1,000,000 in currency consigned to New York banks, became known here on Monday. The robbery occurred Saturday morning, when a United States mail automobile truck was entered while it was on a ferry bound from the New Jersey Central railroad station at Communipaw, N. J., to Liberty street, New York. The packages were stolen from mail pouches, three of which were from Washington and one from Baltimore. According to unofficial reports one of the stolen Washington packages contained \$200,000.

### U. S. GUARDIAN OF HAITI

Treaty Ratified by Senate Provides For Virtual Protectorate For Nation.

Washington, March 1.—The senate unanimously ratified the Haitian treaty which gives the United States a virtual protectorate over the "black republic." There was a half-hour debate over certain provisions in the treaty, but the final vote recorded no opposition. Under the treaty the United States will organize a constabulary in the republic and will administer the finances of the nation.

### Enver Pasha's Brother Slain

London, March 1.—Nuri Bey, brother of Enver Pasha, Turkish war minister, was killed in the battle between British South African troops and Turkish tribesmen in western Egypt, according to an additional report of the fighting received at war headquarters on Monday.

### To Let Poles Receive Food

Washington, March 1.—Berlin will inform the United States through Count von Bernstorff that the German forces in Poland will not confiscate any articles of food or clothing sent from this country for relief purposes.

### Duma Approves Billion Loan

London, March 1.—The finance committee of the Russian duma, presided over by Premier Sturmer, has approved the new war loan of 2,000,000,000 rubles (about \$1,000,000,000), says Reuter's Petrograd correspondent.

### PERSIAN TOWN OF KERMANSHAH

TAKEN AFTER A THREE DAYS' FIGHT.

### OTTOMAN TROOPS IN FLIGHT

Sultan's Forces, Retreating From Erzerum, Are Unable to Defend Their Positions Owing to the Lack of Ammunition—13,000 Captured.

London, Feb. 28.—A Reuter dispatch from Petrograd says the Russians have taken by storm Kermanshah, the important Persian city in the neighborhood of which serious fighting recently has taken place.

An official dispatch from Teheran said that after a series of battles in the mountain passes the Turks, who had been aided by Germans, had retreated towards Kermanshah.

Kermanshah is 280 miles southwest of Teheran and has a population of about 30,000. The routes from Hamadan, Shuster, Isfahan by way of Hamadan, and Suleimaniyah meet there and make the city an important center of traffic.

The Russian operations in Persia, which have culminated in the capture of Kermanshah, have had the local purpose of putting an end to the activities of hostile mountain forces and organized bands of Kurds, and it is believed they have the broader scope of preparing the way for a junction of the Russians with the British expeditionary forces in Mesopotamia.

Petrograd, Feb. 28.—The resistance offered by the Turkish forces retreating from Erzerum to the advancing Russians apparently has frittered out on account of the general lack of ammunition and supplies. Unable to defend points of natural advantage, the Turks are continuing their precipitate flight into the fastnesses of Asia Minor.

The loss of Ishpir, which was an important munition and food depot serving the right wing, the Turkish coast troops, and the left wing, the Erzerum forces, further crippled the power of Turkish resistance. It also cut off main road communication between Erzerum and Trebizond.

About 13,000 Turkish troops, 235 of them and 323 guns were captured by the Russians in taking the fortress of Erzerum, the war office announced. The Russians also took nine Turkish standards and large stores of munitions, arms and provisions.

### FOUR BRITISH SHIPS SUNK

Report From London Does Not Make Public Cause of Disasters or Where They Occurred.

London, Feb. 28.—Four British steamers have been sunk with the loss of perhaps thirty lives. The Wilson liner Dido was the largest victim. Advice said the chief officer and two of the crew of twenty-nine have been landed, but that other members of the crew are missing and unaccounted for. Later dispatches reported the sinking of the British steamer Fastnet. Seven of the crew of the steamer Tummel, which was also sunk, are missing, and two survivors died after being landed. The crew of the steamer Denaby was rescued.

### WANT BIG GUNS ON U. S. SHIPS

Long-Range Firing by Atlantic Fleet and Lessons of European Sea Fights Convince Experts.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Experimental long-range firing by the Atlantic fleet and information about naval battles in the European war virtually have convinced the navy department that battleships to be authorized this year should carry ten 16-inch guns each, instead of 12 14-inch weapons aboard ships of the Pennsylvania and California class now built or building. Details of gunnery are confidential, but it became known here that the next target practice of the fleet will be held at ranges up to 15,000 yards.

### SLAYER OF WOMAN GUILTY

Sentenced to Eight Years in Italian Prison for Attack on Chicago Woman.

Rome, Feb. 26.—Pietro Rossi was found guilty at Arezzo on the charge of murderous assault against Mrs. Mary Flavelle of Chicago in a railroad train between Florence and Arezzo on May 21, 1914, for the purpose of robbery. He was sentenced to eight years and four months' imprisonment and two years' special surveillance by the police and to perpetual interdiction from public service. The jury found that Rossi's act was unpremeditated and that he was only partially responsible for his actions, being not wholly sound of mind.

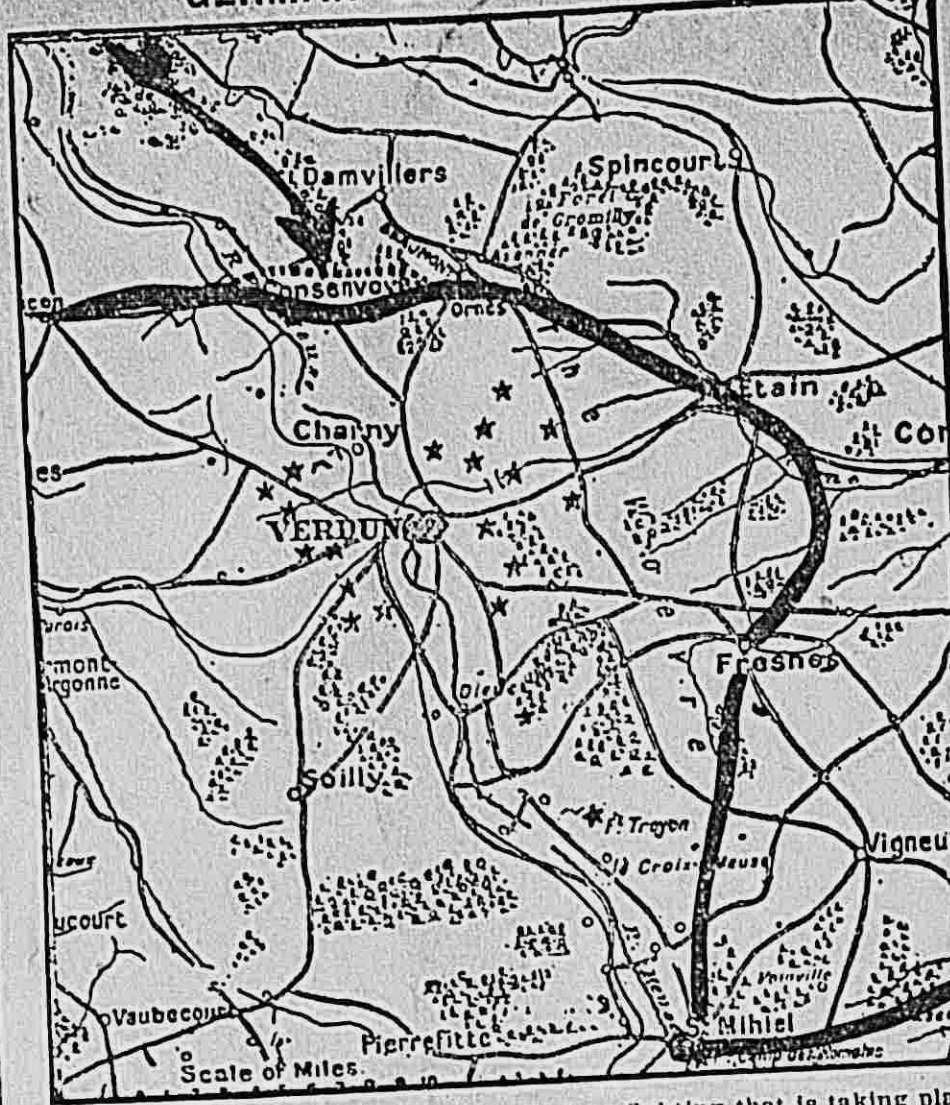
### Edict Bars Luxury Importation

Berlin, Feb. 29.—The German government has adopted a decree prohibiting the importation of commodities regarded as luxuries which can be dispensed with in war time. The regulation will take effect immediately.

### Jail Anticonscriptionist

London, Feb. 29.—Mrs. Nellie Best, secretary of the Women's Anticonscriptionist league, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the Westminster police court for circulating literature urging men not to enlist.

## GERMAN DRIVE ON VERDUN



This map shows the location of the fighting that is taking place in France in connection with the drive on Verdun being made by a strong German force under the crown prince. The arrow points to the place where the conflict has been the most desperate.

## SAYS SHE KILLED MAN MUST FREE GERMANS

NIECE OF SENATOR CULBERSON MAKES CONFESSION.

Bride of Charles Harrison of Texas Asserts She Shot Man Who Wronged Her.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Katherine Vance Harrison, fifteen-year-old bride of Charles Harrison, nephew of United States Senator Charles Culbertson of Texas, was released with her husband after they had given \$2,500 bail each to answer charges of murder filed against them. The police said Mrs. Harrison had confessed that she shot and killed W. R. Warren, a hotel proprietor, claiming that he had wronged her before her marriage.

Warren's body was found, riddled with bullets, at the side of a country road near here, December 22. There were few clues to the identity of his slayer.

On Saturday an arrest was made in the case and much excitement ensued, which was succeeded by the greater sensation caused by the police announcement that Mrs. Harrison, after a signed statement that she was responsible for Warren's death, had invited Warren into her automobile, introduced him to her husband and drove into the country, the police statement said. At an isolated spot she asked Warren to get out and see if a tire was flat. When he walked around the car she shot him, according to the alleged confession.

### FRENCH AIRMAN WINS FIGHTS

Adjutant Navarre Beats Down Two German Aeroplanes, Making Five Which He Has Destroyed.

Paris, Feb. 28.—An official statement issued by the ministry of war said: "In the region of Verdun, Adjutant Navarre in a monoplane beat down with a machine gun two German aeroplanes, this achievement making five enemy aeroplanes brought to earth by this pilot. The enemy machines fell in our lines. Two aviators manning them were killed, while two others were made prisoners."

"One of our squadrons, composed of nine aeroplanes, dropped 144 shells on the Sablon railway station at Metz. Another of our squadrons bombarded the enemy establishments at Chambley, northwest of Pont-a-Mousson."

### LACK OF CARS HITS FARMERS

Governor of Kansas Appeals to Roads to Help Move Grain Piled on the Ground.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 26.—Letters have been sent to the Kansas railroads by Governor Capper asking relief for the farmers by placing more freight cars available for the moving of crops. The letters declared many of the wheat and corn raisers were hard pressed for money because they could not get their crops to market. Information coming to the executive offices advises that grain is piled on the ground in central and western Kansas. Tax assessments are made March 1, which is given as additional reason why surplus grain should be sold.

### Senate Agrees to Fletcher

Washington, Feb. 28.—The senate confirmed the nomination of Henry Prather Fletcher as ambassador to the government of Mexico. The vote was 49 to 16. Fletcher is expected to take up his new duties at once.

### Crew Fears Another Bomb

Mobile, Ala., Feb. 28.—Fearing for their lives, the crew of the Italian tank steamer Livretta, aboard which an explosion occurred six weeks ago, refused to go back to Port Arthur to reload the vessel with oil.

### U. S. DEMANDS RELEASE OF TEUTONS SEIZED BY BRITAIN.

Passengers Were Removed From American Ship China by English Warships.

Washington, Feb. 26.—A demand for the immediate release of the 38 passengers who were taken off the American steamship China of the China Mail Steamship line by a British cruiser was made on Great Britain by the state department.

Although the state department has not received "official details" from the American consul at Shanghai, it was decided in the instance to depart from the usual custom of waiting until the "last word" was in before taking action.

The few facts in the possession of the department show that the China was two days out from Shanghai, about ten days ago, when she was stopped by a British cruiser. The 38 passengers who it is thought are Germans were transferred to the warship.

The protest framed by the state department calls for an explanation from Great Britain "of the propriety of the removal of 38 passengers from a merchant vessel." The department expects Great Britain to urge as a defense that the passengers are German reservists and were on their way to the military establishment of Germany. This government stands on the ground that no person can be taken from an American ship.

The fact that the China was bound for San Francisco is in itself held to be a sufficient denial of the British contention that the passengers were en route to Germany.

### BARS TRAVEL ON ARMED SHIP

Gore Has Resolution to This Effect Which He Will Introduce in the Senate.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Senator Gore of Oklahoma announced that he would introduce a resolution on Wednesday to prohibit American citizens from traveling on armed merchant vessels of belligerent nations.

## TELEGRAPHIC NOTES

Zurich, Feb. 26.—An epidemic of cholera is raging in Croatia and its victims are numbered in the thousands, and are chiefly women and children.

St. Louis, Feb. 26.—The Democratic Press association of Missouri voted unanimously to appoint a committee to draft resolutions to endorse President Wilson in his contest with members of congress on the submarine controversy.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 25.—United States Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa filed affidavit on Wednesday with the secretary of state as a candidate for the presidency of the United States on the Republican ticket. The affidavit was sent from Washington and was filed by John Jamieson, state binder.

Turks Routed in Egypt. London, Feb. 29.—A Turkish column was attacked and routed by South African troops at Agagia, Egypt, according to a British official statement issued here, which adds that the fleeing Turks are being pursued.

Aged Financier Is Dead. Cincinnati, Feb. 29.—Franklin G. A. tor, eighty-four years old, president of the American Machine Tool company and identified with many leading financial interests, died at his home here of pneumonia.

## LINER SUNK BY MINE

FORTY-FOUR PERSONS BELIEVED TO HAVE LOST LIVES ON STEAMER MALOJA.

### 25 BODIES ARE RECOVERED

Steamer Empress of Fort William Destroyed by Mine while Attempting to Rescue Passengers From the Maloja—Other Vessels Sent to Bottom.

London, Feb. 29.—The Peninsular and Oriental line steamship Maloja, 12,431 tons gross, carrying approximately 150 passengers and a crew of about 200, mostly Lascars, was sunk in the Straits of Dover on Sunday, presumably by striking a mine.

A majority of the passengers, according to an official announcement, were saved. An unofficial report says that about twenty-five bodies were landed at Dover. No Americans are believed to have been aboard the Maloja. A Central News dispatch from Dover states that the death roll in the loss of the Maloja has reached 44.

The steamship Empress of Fort William of 2,171 tons gross, while attempting to rescue the survivors of the Maloja, struck another mine and sank in less than a half hour. The crew of the Empress was saved by other boats in the vicinity.

Reports also were received of the sinking of two other ships, probably by mines, the abandonment of a steamer afloat at sea, and the sinking of two ships in the Mediterranean by a submarine.

The scene of the disaster to the Maloja was ten miles off the port of Dover and the explosion was so violent that houses along the water front were shaken.

Relief boats quickly put out from the harbor of Dover and succeeded in picking up a number of the Maloja's passengers when the liner went down. The Maloja carried in the first-class cabin 26 men, 23 women and 7 children. Among the passengers was Justice Oldfield of the India high courts.

The Peninsular and Oriental line steamship Maloja was an Australian mail boat and a sister boat of the Persia, which was torpedoed and sunk off the Island of Crete December 30 last, with the loss of 336 lives.

The Maloja was last reported as having arrived at Marseilles January 31, bound for London from Sydney. The steamship was 350 feet long, 62 feet beam and 34 feet deep. It was built at Belfast in 1911.

The steamship Birgit also has been sunk. Seventeen survivors have been landed.

The British steamship Suevior, from New York February 11, for Havre, has been abandoned afloat at sea, according to a dispatch to Lloyds from Inishtrahull, Ireland. All members of the crew are reported to have been taken off by another steamer.

### DURAZZO TAKEN BY TEUTONS

Austrians Occupy Capital of Albania as Italians Embark on Transports —Rome Admits Loss.

Vienna (via London), Feb. 29.—Austro-Hungarian troops took full possession of the Albanian port of Durazzo, according to an official announcement issued on Sunday.

Rome dispatches reported that all Italian and Albanian troops have been withdrawn from Durazzo by Italian transports.

After surrounding the town on three sides, the Austrians attacked from the southeast, encountering only little opposition and, according to latest reports from Vienna, had reached the Bay of Durazzo and were only five miles from the city.

Durazzo is a dilapidated town of about 5,000, full of ancient ruins. It lies thirty-three miles north of Avlona.

### TWO KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

Two of Injured Are Expected to Die as Result of Collision With Car at Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Feb. 29.—Two were killed, two fatally hurt, another seriously injured and two others less seriously injured on Sunday when an automobile driven by Dr. E. L. Eken, a dentist and member of the Marquette university faculty, struck a street car in the aristocratic East side district. The dead: Doctor Eisen, Hans Strelender. The injured: Elizabeth Eisen, aged eight, may die; Edwin Eisen, aged six, may die; Mrs. Eisen, condition critical; Henrietta Eisen, aged eleven, bruised; Jane Whitney, Madison, badly bruised.

Requisition German Ships. Rome, Feb. 26.—The Italian government has requisitioned 35 German and Austrian steamers that were in Italian ports when the war began.

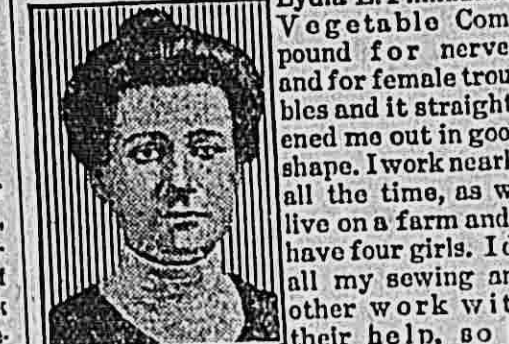
Oldest Resident of Iowa Dies. Dubuque, Ia., Feb. 29.—Mrs. Elizabeth W. Healey, oldest Iowan in years of residence, died at her home here. She has lived in Dubuque 83 years. She was ninety-six years old and was born in Germany.

To Present Cummins' Name. Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 29.—Managers of Senator A. B. Cummins' presidential campaign announced that Nate Kendall of Albia will place Cummins in nomination at the Republican national convention.

## WOMAN HAD NERVOUS TROUBLE

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her.

West Danby, N. Y.—"I have had nervous trouble all my life until I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for nerves and for female troubles and it straightened me out in good shape. I work nearly all the time, as we live on a farm and I have four girls. I do all my sewing and other work with their help, so it shows that I stand it real well. I took the Compound when my ten year old daughter came and it helped me a lot. I have also had my oldest girl take it and it did her lots of good. I keep it in the house all the time and recommend it."—Mrs. DEWITT SENCEBAUGH, West Danby, N. Y.



Sleeplessness, nervousness, irritability, backache, headaches, dragging sensations, all point to female derangements which may be overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from native roots and herbs, has for forty years proved to be a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism. Women everywhere bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

In Lodgings, Evidently. "Do you have hot and cold water in your room?" "No, cold and semicold."

## BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK "CASCARETS"

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

Two per cent of metallic sodium will harden lead so that it will ring when struck.

### Achy Joints Give Warning

A creaky joint often predicts rain. It may also mean that the kidneys are not filtering the poisonous uric acid from the blood. Bad backs, rheumatic pains, sore, aching joints, headaches, dizziness and urinary disorders are all effects of weak kidneys and if nothing is done, there's danger of more serious trouble. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the best recommended kidney remedy.

### An Iowa Case

Chas. E. Joalin, I'd depend on Iowa, says: "I followed a railroad for twenty years, and it weakened my kidneys. I had a constant pain in the small of my back, and often when I overworked I got so lame and sore that I could hardly straighten. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I used them and they helped me right away. The pain and lameness was completely cured and I was restored to good health."

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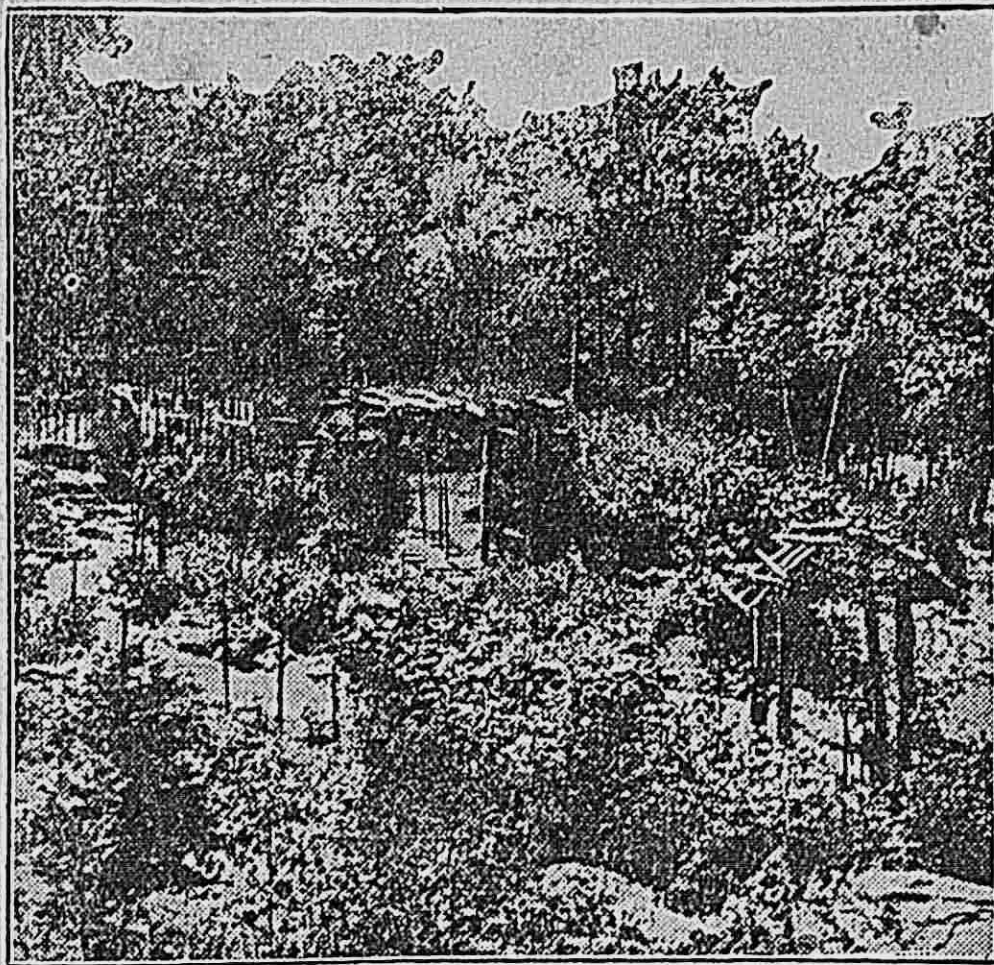
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## The HOME BEAUTIFUL

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Their Care and Cultivation



An Attractive Sunken Garden.

### FIRST WORK FOR THE GARDEN

By E. VAN BENTHUYSEN.

To get both pleasure and profit from a garden one does not need a large variety of flowers and vegetables. I do the planting and much of the work on a plot of about one acre. The products include asters, dahlias, strawberries, tomatoes, celery, lettuce, string beans, etc.

March is none too soon to commence shaping one's plans for the garden. A good catalogue from some reliable seedman is necessary. The winter months are the time to study and plan out your scheme of garden. My experience has been that it is a mistake to try too many varieties of vegetables. Of peas, tomatoes and cabbage, select two varieties, one early, the other late. Of all the other vegetables I find one variety suffices.

Order your seeds early, for by the middle of March one can begin operations by sowing tomato, cabbage and celery seeds in boxes filled with earth. Cigar boxes make a good receptacle for starting plants. They are deep enough and a good size to stand on the window sill. Two hundred plants can be started in one box. The early cabbage and tomato should be planted first.

If you are going to try celery it should be among the first started. Do not cover the seed too deep. Follow the direction on the package as to depth.

Do not get discouraged about results, as celery seed germinates very slowly. Keep the top of the earth always moist, and do not look for plants until the third week.

When they do show, give plenty of light, so that they will not be spindling.

This also applies to cabbage and tomatoes. All of them will grow long, thread-like stems, which will be too weak to support themselves, unless given plenty of sunlight. The celery plants can remain in the cigar box much longer than any of the other plants that I have suggested for house planting. They grow slowly. The tomatoes and cabbage will soon need larger quarters.

As soon as the fourth leaf is under way, they should be planted into flats. Mine are about two feet square and three inches deep. I nailed them up myself, and any other woman with a

few boards, a saw and a hammer, can do as much. Once made, they will be good for several seasons. Do not fill with earth to the top.

By the time the plants are transplanted in the flats there will be many days when they can be placed outside for a few hours. This should be done whenever possible.

Bulbs plunged in ashes should be ready to bring to the window by this time.

### HOME GROUNDS BEAUTIFUL

By L. M. BENNINGTON.

Nothing adds to the attractiveness of the home place more than thrifty vines, and for most places perennial vines are best. For temporary screens annual vines will do. Start the seeds indoors early and transplant frequently in order to make the plants stalky, and as soon as the ground gets warm they may be set out where they are to remain.

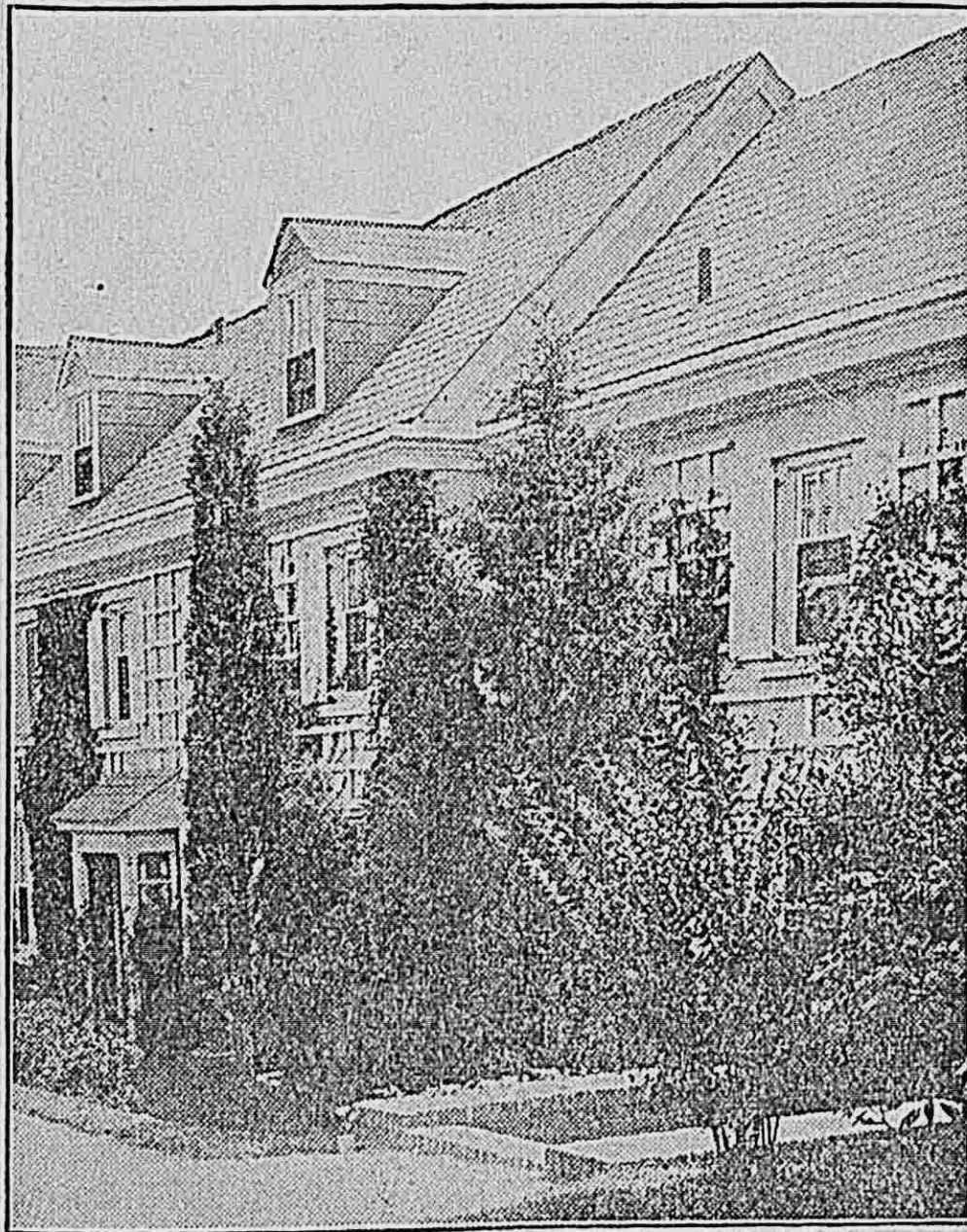
Many of these will grow but little at top for the first year, but will be making root growth and be getting ready to make top progress afterwards. Some of the shrubs and perennials, and even the biennials may give a scant bloom the first year, and some may wait for the first flowering for the third year.

Seeds of most of the desirable ornamental vines, shrubs, biennials and perennials germinate readily, while others are slow in sprouting, but if planted in good soil and allowed time the reward is sure.

We should inform ourselves on these subjects as much as possible before undertaking the work.

February and March is a good time to get our window boxes ready. In these boxes may be planted the seeds, together with many bulbous and tuberous-rooted varieties of plants. Many of our best seedsmen sell trial orders very cheap, hoping to thus keep a customer by sending out good seeds and plants. Get your trial order from a reliable firm and study the catalogues, especially the directions on how to prepare the soil and the depth to plant the seeds.

Do not try to do anything about the garden in a happy-go-lucky way. Give time and thought to the planting. The result justifies your most intelligent care.



Nothing Adds to the Attractiveness of the Home Place Like Thrifty Vines.

## GERMANS CAPTURE FORT AT VERDUN; FIVE FRENCH ATTACKS REPULSED

Allied Troops Unable to Retake Douaumont, Held by Teutons—Berlin Says 15,000 Unwounded French Have Been Taken Prisoner—Losses on Both Sides Are Heavy.

London, Feb. 29.—The Germans are closing in on Verdun. On three sides of the besieged fortress—north, north-east and east—the crown prince's smashing drive hurled back the French with the same irresistible fury which has characterized the advance of the previous six days.

At some places the ground gained since Saturday approximates a mile and a half, making the total advance in the seven days of the attack seven and a half miles. Six of the outer forts of Verdun are now menaced by the German siege guns.

The outstanding feature of the situation is the admission by Paris that the Germans have captured and progressed beyond Fort Douaumont, which victory was shrouded in considerable doubt by the French official statement of Saturday night. The communiqué on Sunday admits that the Germans hold the fort "only with difficulty."

### Germans Take Champneuville.

On the three sections of the front the situation can be summed up as follows:

1. North of Verdun the Germans captured Champneuville, four and a half miles north of the fortress and a mile from the Meuse, and advanced to the southeast as far as the village of Nave, which lies midway between Champneuville and Fort Douaumont. The Berlin statement also reports the capture of the Cote (Hill) du Talou, in this region, but Paris declares this position has been rendered untenable by either side.

2. Northeast of Verdun the Germans not only held Fort Douaumont against five attacks of the French, heavily reinforced, to recapture the position, but drove the French back for a mile and a half to the southeast of the fort and attacked them on the plateau north of the village of Vaux. This attack, according to the Paris communiqué, was repulsed. The French, according to the Paris communiqué, are strongly pressing the Brandenburg regiments which "gained a footing at Douaumont and maintained themselves with difficulty."

3. East of Verdun, where Berlin on Saturday announced that the resistance of the French in the Woëvre had broken down, the army of General von Deimling, composed of veterans of the Balkan campaign, has driven the French back toward the west as far as Maranville and Blanzee, towns only two miles from Fort Moulinville, one of the outer forts of Verdun. This is admitted in the Paris communiqué, which says the Germans repeatedly tried to debouch from Maranville and Blanzee toward Hill 255, but without success. The German statement adds that the extended fortified works of Hartmannswillerkopf, east of Verdun and near Maranville, were taken by storm.

This tremendous encircling movement, covering a semicircular front of 15 miles, brings the Germans to a point where their huge 17-inch guns are within easy range of six of the protecting forts. On the north the capture of Champneuville and the advance toward Bras, which village is now under bombardment, menaces Fort Belleville, two miles south of Bras.

If the Germans capture the town of Vaux they will mount their guns on the plateau above the village and rain shells down into Fort Vaux, which is only half a mile south of the village of the same name. With Fort Vaux's guns silenced, the next position in the line of fire would be Fort Souvilly, two miles from Vaux on a direct line with Verdun.

General von Deimling's tremendous victory on the Woëvre plains will permit him to mount siege guns on the heights of the Meuse and rain shells upon three more of the ring of forts protecting the city and citadel of Verdun. These are Fort Moulinville, which lies on the slope of the Meuse hills just west of Maranville, Fort de Tavannes, a mile to the northwest, and Fort del Belrupt, two miles to the southwest. The forts of Belleville, De Souvilly, De Tavannes, Moulinville and Del Belrupt in themselves form a circle within the main circle of forts. If the Germans can succeed in taking them the fall of Verdun would be but a matter of hours.

The only other forts on the east bank of the Meuse are d'Haudainville and du Rozellier, which lie to the south and southwest of Verdun respectively. If the Germans can drive the French back from their field positions south of Blanzee and Maranville Fort du Rozellier will fall within range of their guns.

The terrific intensity of the fighting

is indicated by the furious struggle for the hill du Talou, which is now a "no man's land" after repeated assaults by the Germans to capture it. All day Saturday and all through the night the battle raged about the hill, but the Germans were unable to capture it. In the end the trenches were reduced to morasses, in which countless bodies of dead and wounded were heaped amid barbed-wire entanglements and debris of earthworks. The hurricane of shell fire had rendered the position untenable for either side.

The German success in capturing Fort Douaumont was perhaps one of the most costly individual victories of the war. Paris describes the slopes of the position as filled with German dead.

### Attack Weakens, Says Paris.

The official statement from Paris on Sunday says:

"Between Soissons and Reims we bombarded with a destructive fire the German works in front of Venizel (east of Troyon).

"In the region north of Verdun, following the violent actions of the previous days, we noticed during the day a certain diminution of the German efforts, excepting between the height of Douaumont and the plateau to the north of the village of Vaux, where we repulsed a very strong attack against our position.

"To the east and to the west of the Douaumont position, the slopes of which are covered with German dead, our troops are strongly pressing the German detachments, which were able to gain a footing and maintain themselves only with difficulty.

### Hill Is Untenable.

"The Cote du Talou, which has been rendered untenable for us as well as for the Germans through the bombardment of the artillery of both sides, is now unoccupied by either force.

"In the Woëvre the Germans have come into contact with our advanced posts toward Blanzee and Maranville, from which places they repeatedly attempted to debouch toward Hill 255, but without success.

"In the Vosges an artillery duel was fought at Hartmannswillerkopf. We caught under our fire and dispersed a German detachment in the region of Senones.

### Douaumont Is Held.

The Berlin official report says: "At various portions of the front there have been intense artillery and mine battles.

"South of Ypres an English attack was repulsed.

"On the heights to the right of the Meuse the French attempted by means of attacks with fresh troops, which were repeated five times, to reconquer the armored fortress of Douaumont. They were repulsed with sanguinary losses.

"To the west of the fort we took Champneuville, Cote du Talou, advancing as far as Nave, on the southern border of the wood northeast of Bras.

"To the east of the fort we took by storm the extended fortified works of Hartmann.

"On the Woëvre plain there was vigorous fighting on the German front as far as the Lorraine hills.

"Unwounded prisoners captured number 15,000.

"In Flanders our aeroplane squadron attacked a camp of the enemy.

"A bomb attack on Metz by enemy aviators resulted in the injury or death of eight civilians and seven soldiers. Several houses were damaged.

"In the neighborhood of the fortress of Metz a French aeroplane was brought down and its occupants, including two captains, were made prisoners."

### Berlin Overjoyed at Victory.

Berlin, Feb. 29.—Demonstrations of great joy followed the announcement by the war office of the capture of Fort Douaumont by the forces of the crown prince.

The feelings of the populace found vent in a great triumphal procession through Unter den Linden, which wound up before the Imperial palace, where the national anthem was sung by thousands.

Flags were raised over public and private buildings. The praise of the gallant Brandenburgers was on all lips. German newspapers generally express confidence that the weight of the German smash against Verdun cannot fail to capture the fortress, but some warned the public against extravagant hopes.

That the battle will be costly is realized. The newspapers do not conceal the fact that heavy losses are being sustained in the struggle.

### FOUR BRITISH SHIPS SUNK

Report From London Does Not Make Public Cause of Disasters or Where They Occurred.

London, Feb. 29.—Four British steamers have been sunk with the loss of perhaps thirty lives. The Wilson liner Dido was the largest victim. Advice said the chief officer and two of the crew of twenty-nine have been landed, but that other members of the crew are missing and unaccounted for.

Seven of the crew of the steamer Tummel, which was also sunk, are missing, and two survivors died after being landed. The crew of the steamer Denaby was rescued. An official announcement made by the French ministry of marine regarding the sinking of the British steamship Fastnet says the vessel was sent to the bottom by a submarine in the western Mediterranean. The crew was rescued by a French cruiser. The Fastnet was of 2,227 tons gross and was built in 1887.

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Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had Diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years and was in a nervous state and very much depressed. The doctor's medicine didn't help me, so I decided to try Dodds Kidney Pills, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness, as they cured me. Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of Constipation."

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Somehow an old man on a motorcycle looks out of place.

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If you suffer from backache, lumbago, rheumatism, get "Anuric" now.

Hostilities Brewing.

"That broker's wife looked very black at him when she told him to get ready to come home."

"Yes; looked rather like her preparing to place some war orders."

### NEW TREATMENT FOR SWOLLEN VEINS

Swollen veins are dangerous and often burst. Sufferers are advised to get a two-ounce, original bottle of Emerald Oil (full strength) at any pharmacist and start to reduce the veins and banches at once. Physicians recommend Emerald Oil; it is used in hospital practice and a small bottle will last a long time, because it is very concentrated. Apply night and morning with the soft brush as directed until the swelling is reduced to normal. It is so marvelously powerful that swollen glands and even goitre disappear when used steadily.

Thoroughly Natural. "Did he die a natural death?" "Yes," so I understand. He was run over in the streets of New York."—Life.

### RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 4 oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any drugist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and remove dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

Another of Them. "I suppose you have put away something for a rainy day?" "Not I. I don't believe in preparedness."

### After Grip—Winter Colds—Bad Blood

You are pale, thin, weak—with little vitality. Your liver is sluggish and the bad blood causes your stomach muscles to lose their elasticity and become flabby—then indigestion.

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The largest Canadian wheat shipments through New York ever known are reported for the period up to October 15th, upwards of four and a quarter million bushels being exported in less than six weeks, and this was but the overflow of shipments to Montreal, through which point shipments were much larger than to New York.

Yields as high as 60 bushels of wheat per acre are reported from all parts of the country; while yields of 43 bushels per acre are common.

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## RURAL NEWS ITEMS

## LAKE VILLA

Mrs. Fred Hamlin was in the city on Friday.

Frank Sherwood spent Saturday in the city.

Mrs. Jarvis was an Antioch visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richards visited their son in Antioch one day last week.

Mrs. Ola Barnstable visited relatives in the city from Saturday till Monday.

A number of the young people attended a party at Grayslake Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lee Sherwood is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmington at Round Lake.

Mr. Paxton had a public auction of stock and farm machinery west of town on Tuesday, he will move soon to a farm near Wadsworth and Dick Atwell, who has rented the Kerr farm for a term will take possession.

The Domestic Science Club had a very enjoyable meeting at the school house last Thursday evening and a patriotic program of readings and music was prepared by Miss Doolittle and Miss Matthews and was very pleasant. Refreshments were served and all joined in a social hour, and hoped for more of such gatherings.

Mrs. Wald gave a birthday party on Tuesday afternoon to a few of the little friends of her niece, Norma Sebera, birthday are comes on February 29th, whose birthdays few and far between for her having only having two of them in her eight years of life. The little folks had a very enjoyable time.

## MILLBURN

Miss Ruby Strang of Gurnee is spending some time with friends here.

Mrs. Lura Culver spent a few days with her mother returning home Sunday.

Mrs. Bonner and Miss Vivian Bonner served dinner for the Ladies Aid Thursday.

We are glad to note that Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Bain will remain with us a while longer.

The friends of Mrs. Archie Webb gave her a surprise Saturday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and a good time reported.

A Washington party given by the Volunteers class of the Sunday School at the home of Miss Margaret Gilbert Friday evening. About 50 were present and a fine time reported by all.

Miss Nomine Christianson and L. W. Haines were married Feb. 23, by Rev. Jedele of Wilmot. The guests assembled in the parlor and just before 2 p. m. an effective song "Oh Promise Me" was rendered by Leslie Haines, brother of the groom. At 2 p. m. to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Geraldine Jackson of Milwaukee, the bride and groom appeared attended by Miss Ida Christianson, sister of the bride and Leslie Haines. The bride was gowned in white crepe de chene and carried white rose buds. A four-course dinner was served. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Christiansen. Miss Christianson is much loved by her many friends. The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Haines of Gurnee. He is a young man of sterling worth and is respected by all who knew him. Congratulations.

## HICKORY

Dave Pullen spent Monday in Chicago.

S. W. Ames spent last Thursday in Waukegan.

Mrs. McGuire has been on the sick list the past week.

Come to Sunday School next Sunday at 10 o'clock sharp.

Miss Elizabeth Webb spent Sunday at the Tamarack farm.

Mrs. Dave Pullen spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Waukegan.

Miss Estella Gettings spent over Sunday with relatives north of Antioch.

Man of True Worth.

Contentment in old age is deserved by him alone who has not lost faith in what is good, his persevering strength of will and his desire for active employment.—Tourgenieff.

Bread and Wine From Parsnips. Both bread and wine have been made from parsnips.

Monarchs Named Alkie. All the kings of Prussia have been called Frederick or William.

## WILMOT

Mrs. Motley is visiting her daughter at Sharon, Wis.

Mrs. Luke had dental work done in Antioch Saturday.

Rollie Hegeman assisted at the Hall drug store last week.

Morris Hall spent over Sunday with his parents at Racine.

Mrs. Richter and Mrs. Peacock left Friday for Sheboygan.

Mrs. O. Lewis spent the week end at Milwaukee with friends.

Mrs. Jim Turner of Hebron spent the week-end with friends here.

Mrs. Sam Strahan of Antioch spent Saturday with Mrs. Shottliff.

Wilbur Lewis of Milwaukee spent over Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Jedele and Mrs. Hanneman were Burlington shoppers Thursday.

Miss Filson is caring for Gene Dobyns at Trevor, who has been very sick.

A number from around here attended the Lyceum course at the opera house Friday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Darby and Miss Alice Thompson spent Wednesday with Mrs. Harrison at Grayslake.

The Farmers New Era Telephone Co. are doing considerable construction work making improvements constantly which gives subscribers up-to-date service.

## TREVOR

The Medicine show closed Wednesday.

Mr. Schulkins was in Antioch Wednesday.

Mr. Dobyns has a sister here from Fond du Lac.

Mrs. Busch was shopping in Antioch Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Smith was in Antioch shopping Thursday.

Mrs. Warner of Solon is visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Yopp.

Mrs. Meyers is entertaining a friend from Lake Villa.

The Mystic Workers are planning to have a dance March 6.

Milton Patrick had dental work done at Silverlake Saturday.

Quite a few attended the concert at Wilmot Friday evening.

H. C. Patrick of Randall spent Thursday with the Patrick families.

Mrs. Van Osdal and Mrs. Ann Kimnel were in Antioch Thursday.

Mrs. Mickle is entertaining a sister and husband from Minneapolis, Minn.

Little Gene Dobyns who has been seriously ill is much better. Miss Filson is caring for him.

## SALEM

Gus Frank is on the sick list.

A. A. Dean went home for Sunday.

J. Hartnell is very sick at his daughter's.

Mrs. J. Foster, Sr., is sick with the grip.

Mrs. C. Bonson visited her parents Sunday.

Mrs. A. Burdick entertained company Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Carey have moved to Wilmot.

Mrs. Dalton and Mrs. Williams were in Chicago Friday.

J. Hahn was taken sick Sunday at the home of C. Deppe.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mutter have moved into their new home.

Mrs. A. Paddock entertained a sister from Oak Park Saturday.

Miss Jennie Loescher spent the first of the week in Chicago.

Mrs. A. W. Burdick spent Saturday at the home of B. Kennedy.

Roy Burdick visited his cousin Keith McVicar at Kenosha over Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Shonsheek entertained the Priscillas Thursday afternoon.

Rev. Lawrence and family have returned from Evanston to remain here.

The ice harvest is over for this season the companies being able to get their houses filled.

The fourth number of the Lyceum course given by the Illinois Glee club will be held Saturday night at the church.

H. Brav, W. son and George Monday from taking the bus.

Independe

## STYLE FEATURES FOR SPRING



The elegance of the well-tailored street suit of plain cloth makes this model appeal to women of refined taste. Both the coat and skirt embody the accepted style features for spring; and the inlay of white broadcloth on collar and cuffs is a finishing touch of much distinction.

## COAT OF COVERT CLOTH



Spring coats are wide and rather long. They are distinguished by oddities in cut and in pockets, cuffs and collars. A handsome model is shown above with raglan sleeve, high collar and velvet cuffs. Triangular flaps, lined with velvet, are set on over the slit pockets.

## OF TAFFETA AND CREPE



One of the prettiest designs in silk gowns is made with a plain, wide skirt having panther drapery. The baby waist, with wide shoulder straps, is worn over a crepe underbodice having long sleeves and a high collar.

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## OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Peter Radford  
ON ADVERTISE IT IN AMERICA.



As a citizen of this nation and one intensely interested in its material development, I want to add my approval to the "Buy It in America" movement. Commercial patriotism and business pride are the foundation stones of success in industry and no country can become supreme in commerce and trade unless it fosters a spirit of friendship and partially for its own products and institutions. It is the spirit of the hive that makes the wheels of industry turn and each community should be a progressive unit in our industrial universe. All things being equal the farmer should patronize the local merchant, who is always a good citizen, a heavy taxpayer and friend of the farmer. The farmer sends shiploads of raw material to foreign markets and factories that meet on their way vessels laden with finished and foreign grown products coming to America. Any effort to minimize this economic waste ought to be encouraged.

But as a farmer and friend of the manufacturer and merchant I want to suggest an "Advertise It in America" movement. The manufacturer and jobber may blow loud blasts on the horn of patriotism but if they will put an "ad" in the newspapers in their trade territory, making a business presentation of their goods, they will find it far more effective than waving the Star-Spangled Banner. The farmer is as much interested in the price of the things he has to buy as in the price of the things he has for sale and the things he has to buy as in the price of the things he has for sale and the things he has to buy as in the price of the things he has for sale.

There are many most worthy organizations working to promote commerce and trade but we seldom find organized effort to promote the press, yet it is recognized as the most powerful agency for progress the world has ever produced. We have all sorts of days calculated to promote business and honor industry such as Trades Days, Bargain Days, Labor Days, etc.; why not have a press day and all business concerns advertise the things they have to sell and everybody subscribe for the local paper and all delinquents pay a year in advance? There is nothing so elevating in civilization as the smile of an editor and nothing will contribute more toward the welfare of a community than the prosperity of the press.

The farmer is a friend and patron of the newspapers. He subscribes for the local paper and reads every line in it and it is the best investment he can make. There is no news so valuable as store news; no information so interesting as market demands; no tragedy so entertaining as the rise and fall of prices and no page more closely studied by the farmers than the advertising columns of the press.

## Explaining Baldness.

Dr. C. T. Ewart, a Scotch scientist, says his researches have led him to believe that the loss of hair on man's head and other parts of his body is a certain indication of intellectual progress. "This fact," he maintains "explains to some extent the baldness which is always so prevalent among college professors and members of learned societies."

## Too Much for Him.

It is impossible for a mere man to comprehend now a woman knows the exact angle at which it will be fashionable to perch her hat.—Kansas City Journal.

## Covering Food.

Use paper bags to cover food or milk that is in a pitcher. This will keep out the dust and there is no danger of slipping off as with a plate.

## The Real Thing.

It is not numbers that count but importance.

## There Are Many.

A nextchange has an article on "Stop plugging the Waste of Gas." If some people we know were compelled to wear muzzles it might help some.

## Must Be Mutual.

"An honest man," said Uncle Eben "ain't ginter git along very well unless he has de courage to insist on folks he deals with bein' de same way."

## New Idea for Danger Signal.

As a substitute for red in danger signals, which is the color less easily distinguished by the color blind, experts have advocated blue circles with wide yellow rims.

## Permanent Paradise.

Recollection is the only paradise from which we cannot be turned out.—Richter.

## Optimistic Thought.

A wise man pays homage to worth; a fool to wealth.

Lightweights.  
"Young Mr. Dubson and his bride, who was Miss Fritters, have started light housekeeping."  
"So I hear," answered Miss Cuttem.  
"And I'm not at all surprised."  
"No."  
"Anything that couple did would necessarily be light."

Point to Consider.  
"This waiter is polite and attentive. I think I'll give him a dollar."  
"Why, your dinner itself won't cost you more than \$1.50."  
"I know it, but if he had made me wait a long time before being served, I might have had to spend \$3 to satisfy my hunger."

Family Treasures.  
"What's the trouble in the household?"  
"Mother gave away all of father's old clothes. And he retaliated."  
"As to how?"  
"By throwing away all her old medicine bottles." — Louisville Courier-Journal.

Modern Magic.  
"In the days of Cinderella fairy godmothers used to turn pumpkins into coaches."  
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